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#7 DEATH SENTENCE

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MY ANGEL IS A CLASS ONE BUT RIGHT NOW I CAN'T USE THE ARROW, SO DON'T WORRY
SHOOT ME WITH THE RED ARROW IF YOU CAN SHOOT ME, THAT'S PROOF THAT I'M NOT BEING CONTROLLED.
WHAT'S THIS CREEPY FEELING...?

HURRY UP!
WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF I'M BEING CONTROLLED BY METROPOLI MAN?
HE HAS A POINT.
SAKI, SHOOT HIM.
DON'T MIND THE GLASS.
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WHY ARE YOU SO SLOW?! DO IT!
?
WAIT A SEC.
MIRAI, ARE YOU OK WITH THAT PERSON FALLING IN LOVE WITH SAKI?

NO... I...
EH...
IT'S NOT JUST MIRAI, WE HAVE TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT SAKI'S FEELINGS TOO.
WHAT ARE YOU SAYING AT A TIME LIKE THIS...?!
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NO! OUR TACTIC WAS TO SHOOT A CANDIDATE IF HE OR SHE APPEARED!

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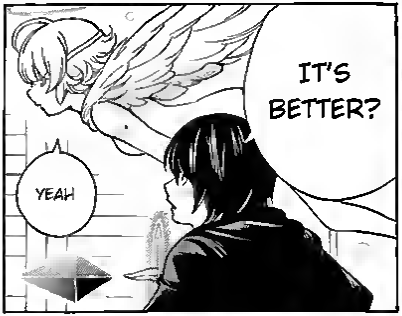
IF SAKI WON'T DO IT, THEN YOU DO IT, MIRAI!
I DON'T HAVE TIME!
I DON'T CARE WHO IT IS, JUST DO IT FAST!
BUT IN THIS CASE ...
I THOUGHT THAT I HAD TO THINK A LOT OF THINGS THROUGH WHEN SHOOTING AN ARROW...

IN FACT, IT'S BETTER IF WE DON'T.


IT'S BETTER?
YEAH

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BECAUSE ...

IT'S NOT THAT. I DON'T THINK WE NEED TO SHOOT HIM WITH THE ARROW IN THE FIRST PLACE.
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HE IS NOT LYING.

RIGHT?
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THANKS
IF YOU SAY SO, HE ISN'T TELLING LIES, RIGHT, NASSE?

IN FACT, THERE'S NO MERIT IN SAYING "SHOOT ME".
BECAUSE NORMALLY YOU'D COME SHOOTING AT US.
THAT'S WHY I WANTED YOU SHOT FIRST, BUT
IF WE WANT TO JOIN FORCES, IT'S BETTER IF WE DON'T SHOOT YOU, AS NASSE SAID.
IF YOU GET SHOT, YOU'LL DO AS THE ONE WHO SHOT YOU COMMANDS YOU, BUT
AT THE SAME TIME, YOU WILL ONLY ANSWER TO US, NEVER SAYING A WORD IN DISAGREEMENT.
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ME TOO ...
I BELIEVE HIM.
I DON'T HAVE MUCH TIME .
THEN LET'S CONTINUE TALKING
I SEE ....
YOU'RE NOT GOING TO SHOOT ME?
I ... AH ...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN YOU DON'T HAVE TIME...?
EHM...
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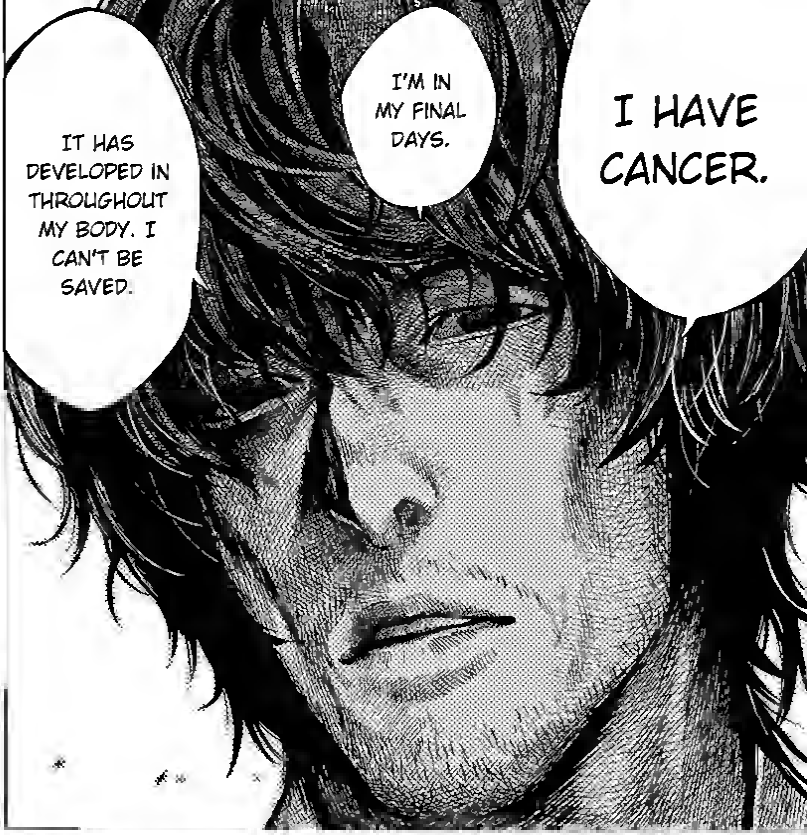
I HAVE CANCER.
I'M IN MY FINAL DAYS.
IT HAS DEVELOPED IN THROUGHOUT MY BODY. I CAN'T BE SAVED.

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4 MONTHS AGO, I WAS TOLD THAT I HAD 3 MORE MONTHS TO LIVE.
DON'T MAKE THOSE FACES, PLEASE...
AT THAT TIME, I WAS 100% SURE THAT SHE'D COME FOR ME.
AND ON THE VERY SAME DAY THOSE 3 MONTHS WERE UP... AN ANGEL APPEARED.
EH? AM I WRONG?
YES.

I SEE...
I SEE
I HAVEN'T DIED YET...?
.....
MUKAIDOU NANATO

IT SEEMS YOU'VE LOST YOUR HOPE TO LIVE.
I WILL DIE SOON.
HOPE? DON'T TALK NONSENSE
I'VE GIVEN UP ON LIFE.

I LIVED MY LIFE THE WAY I WANTED TO, THE BEST I COULD.
OBVIOUSLY I STILL THINK IT'S TOO SOON, BUT THERE'S NO HELPING IT. BUT I'M MORE OR LESS SATISFIED WITH THE LIFE I LIVED.
AND ALL HUMANS DIE EVENTUALLY...
IT WILL BE ONLY ONE MORE LITTLE MAN DISAPPEARING, LOOKING FORWARD TO HIS LAST SMOKE ON THE VERGE OF DEATH.
I SEE. BUT...
I READ IN AN OLD BOOK THAT "THOSE WHO GAVE UP ON LIFE AND ACCEPTED DEATH, CAN BECOME STRONGER THAN THOSE WHO LOST THEIR HOPE TO LIVE".
STRONG? WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

I THINK YOU WANT TO LIVE MORE.
IF YOU BECOME GOD BEFORE YOUR ILLNESS CONSUMES YOU
YOUR LIFE CAN BE SAVED. AND YOU CAN LIVE FOR THOUSANDS OF YEARS.

I THOUGHT I COULDN'T DO ANYTHING ANYMORE, BUT...
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I HAVE A WIFE... AND A SON...
AND I'M GOING TO HAVE ANOTHER BABY...
AND THE MORTGAGE IS STILL 28 YEARS LONG
AAAAH ...

MAKE ME A GOD, PLEASE!
I TOOK THE BAIT...

BUT THE STORY TURNED OUT NOT TO BE SO SWEET AFTER ALL...
MY TIME LIMIT IS 999 DAYS... TO BE CHOSEN FROM 13 PEOPLE.
AND TO MAKE MATTERS WORSE, THERE'S THAT GUY WHO'S PLAYING AS METROPOLI MAN.
STOPPED EXTENDING IT WITH LIFE-PROLOGING TREATMENTS.
THAT'S WHY, I...
NO MATTER HOW YOU LOOK AT IT, MY LIFE SPAN ISN'T DECIDED.

YES, I CHANGED MY MIND.
SO, INSTEAD OF WAITING FOR DEATH IN BED, I WILL USE THE WINGS AND THE ARROW AND DO WHATEVER I CAN!
USING THE RED ARROW, I GOT 2 HUNDRED MILLION IN CASH AFTER THOROUGHLY RESEARCHING JAPAN'S WEALTHIEST THOUGH I WON'T TELL YOU WHO EXACTLY
THIS IS FOR MY WIFE AND MY SONS, WHOM I'LL BE LEAVING.
WITH THIS, THEY CAN BE FINE FOR NOW...

I ONLY THINK ABOUT MYSELF, I'M SELFISH AND THAT'S BAD, RIGHT?
A THIEF LIKE ME IS NOT QUALIFIED TO BECOME GOD.
.....
NOT AT ALL.
YOU DID IT FOR YOUR WIFE AND SONS. THAT'S A FAIR REASON TO USE THE WINGS AND THE ARROW.
HM...
YOU WISH FOR YOUR FAMILY'S HAPPINESS
I THINK THAT TOO...

I THREW AWAY MY PLACE AS GOD AND STOLE MONEY INSTEAD.
THAT DEPENDS ON EVERYONE'S JUDGEMENT.
WHAT I CAN DO FOR MY CHILDREN'S HAPPINESS ...
I'VE BEEN THINKING ABOUT WHAT I CAN DO WHILE I'M ALIVE...
IT WOULDN'T BE WEIRD FOR ME TO DIE.
I CANNOT ALLOW METROPOLI MAN TO BECOME GOD.
AT LEAST

WHILE I WAS THINKING THAT, METROPOLI MAN CALLED US TO THAT BASEBALL STADIUM.
LET'S HAVE A TALK, ME AND THE REMAINING 11.
THE PLACE IS JINBOU STADIUM.

SO I'M VISITING AS MANY CANDIDATES AS I CAN
AND JOINING FORCES WITH THEM TO TAKE METROPOLI MAN OUT.
IF IT'S POSSIBLE, I WANT TO SEE ALL THE CANDIDATES AND MAKE SURE ONE OF THEM IS SUITABLE TO BECOME GOD.

THERE WAS NO DOUBT THE CANDIDATES WOULD GO... I SHOT THE RED ARROW AT A TOTAL OF 14 PEOPLE DETECTIVES AND PSYCHOLOGISTS AMONG THEM
AND SENT THEM TO INFILTRATE THE STADIUM
AND THEN
YOU WERE THE ONES REACTING AFTER SEEING THE ARROWS AND THE ANGELS...
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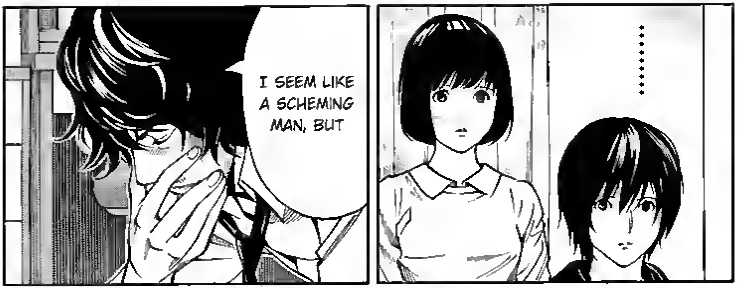
I SEEM LIKE A SCHEMING MAN, BUT
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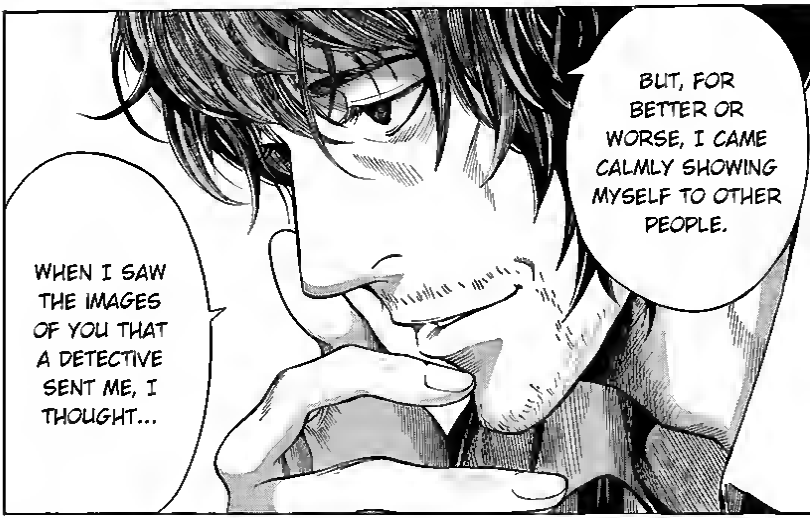
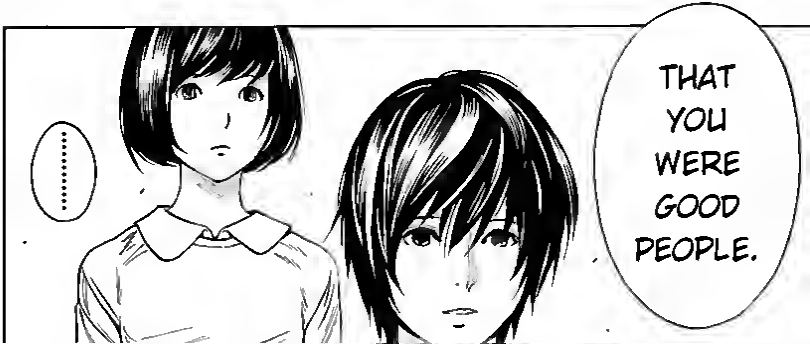

BUT, FOR BETTER OR WORSE, I CAME CALMLY SHOWING MYSELF TO OTHER PEOPLE.
WHEN I SAW THE IMAGES OF YOU THAT A DETECTIVE SENT ME, I THOUGHT...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THAT YOU WERE GOOD PEOPLE.

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THIS IS BAD.
I COULD EASILY TELL THAT MIRAI WAS A CANDIDATE.
AND IN THE STADIUM HE WAS EASILY DISCOVERED AS WELL, EVEN AFTER ALL I'D SAID...
BY THE WAY, WHAT ABOUT YOU?
.....
THIS TIME IT TURNED OUT ALRIGHT BUT...
WHAT IS DONE CANNOT BE UNDONE...

DO YOU WANT TO BECOME GOD?
I DON'T KNOW...
ME NEITHER

.....
I SEE, I SEE. THAT'S GOOD
USUALLY, PEOPLE DON'T JUST BRAZENLY SAY THAT THEY WANT TO BECOME GOD
FOR REAL?!
PLUS, I FOUND ONE MORE CANDIDATE IN THE STADIUM.
!
THIS IS THE GIRL.
SHE WENT HOME FLYING, SO I DON'T KNOW WHO SHE IS OR WHERE SHE LIVES, BUT...

HELP ME FIND THIS GIRL.
THIS IS OUR ONLY HINT FOR NOW.
I SEE ...
YES.
I WILL HELP, BUT I HAVE ONE CONDITION.
?

DON'T GIVE UP ON LIVING.
CONTINUE WITH YOUR TREATMENTS.
.....
SAYING THAT YOU DON'T MIND DYING IS SELFISH.
WELL, I'VE FAR EXCEEDED MY REMAINING DAYS ALREADY...

THINK ABOUT THE FEELINGS OF THE FAMILY YOU'RE LEAVING BEHIND...

KAKE-HASHI
FOR YOUR FAMILY'S SAKE, HEAL YOURSELF AND TRY TO LIVE AS MUCH AS YOU CAN
THAT'S MY CONDITION TO LEND YOU MY HELP.

I ALSO WANT TO LIVE LONGER, EVEN IF ONLY BY A DAY.
...AAH, ALRIGHT.
WHY IS IT THAT IMPORTANT? I'M CHEATING DEATH ENOUGH AS IT IS.....
AND THE TIME I'D BE GAINING WITH THE TREATMENT IS USELESS.
YEAH...
I WAS A PRODUCT DESIGNER FOR AN APPAREL COMPANY, BUT NOW I'M RETIRED.
AH, I ALMOST FORGOT MY NAME IS MUKAIDOU NANATO

HOW SHOULD I USE THESE THREE SETS OF WINGS AND ARROWS?

IN SHORT, THE ONLY WAY TO TAKE SOMEONE'S LIFE IS WITH THE WHITE ARROW THAT I HAVE.
IF I TELL THEM TO KILL SOMEONE, THEY WON'T.
EVEN IF I TELL THEM TO DIE WITH THE RED ARROW, THEY WON'T.
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WHAT IF PEOPLE...
BUT WHAT IF THEY ARE HOPELESS PEOPLE WHO ALREADY WANT TO DIE?

I CAN COUNT ON YOU TO FIGHT!
I SEE... THE WHITE ARROW...
MUKAIDOU, YOU'RE BEING TOO LOUD
EEEH?! SPECIAL CLASS ANGELS ALSO GRANT THE WHITE ARROW?!
?
.....
THE DAY I DIE, I WANT YOU TO USE MY WINGS. HAHA...
HA...
WELL... HANAKAGO'S ANGEL IS CLASS TWO, SO SHE ONLY HAS THE RED ARROW..
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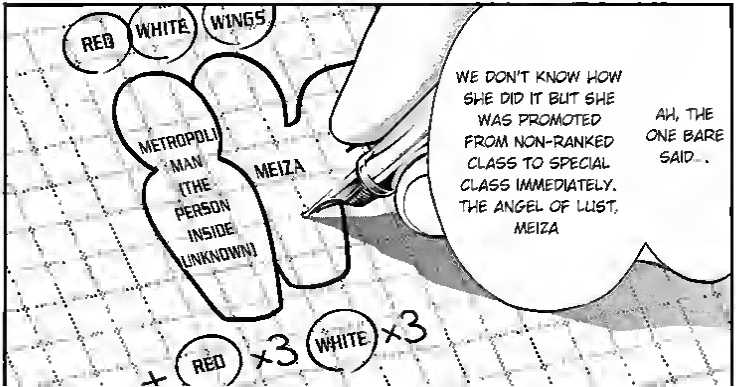
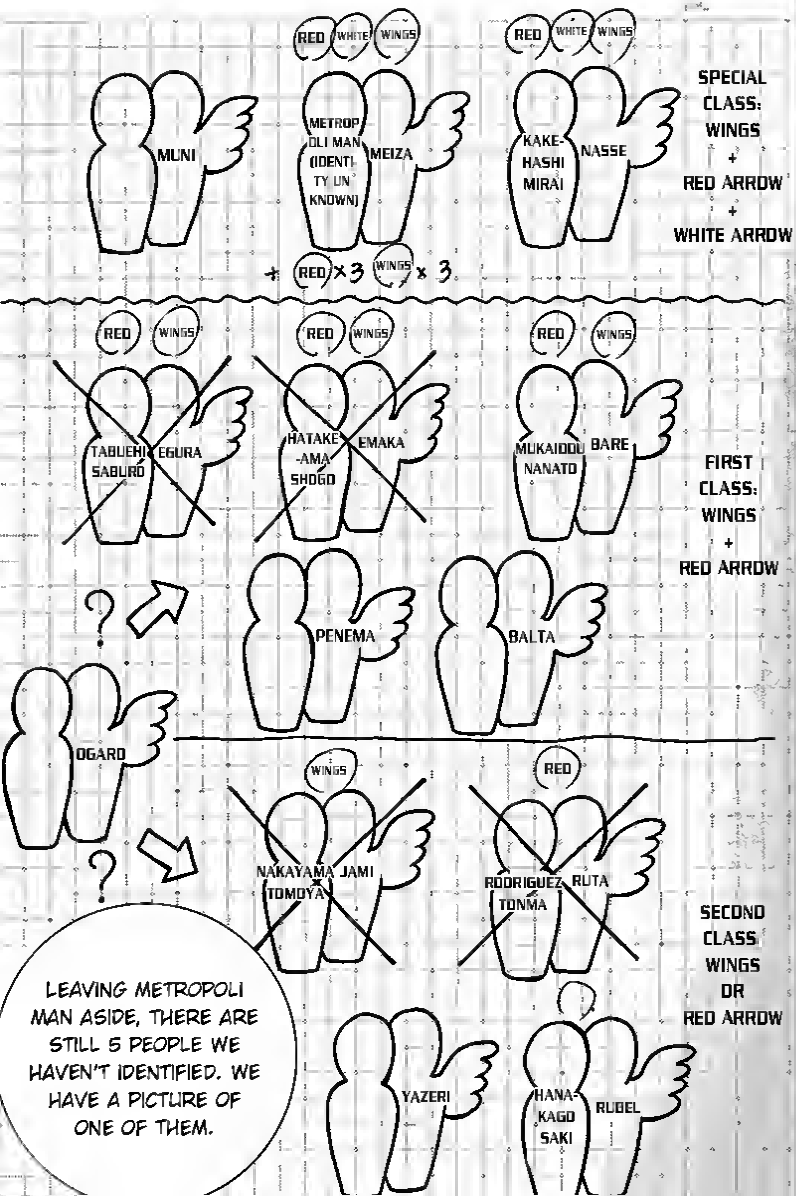
I TOLD YOU NOT TO SAY IT SO CARELESSLY...
AH, SORRY, SORRY.
GRIN
MY ANGEL'S NAME IS BARE.
HER ALIAS IS "THE ANGEL OF KNOWLEDGE." IT SEEMS SHE WAS A SPECIAL CLASS BEFORE.
BARE?
YOU DON'T KNOW HER?
SHE WAS DEMOTED TO CLASS ONE FOR SHOWING OFF HER KNOWLEDGE
ANGELS... GOD... SHE OBTAINED KNOWLEDGE OF EVERYTHING IN THE CELESTIAL REALM FROM ITS HISTORY.
SHE CERTAINLY WAS ERUDITE...

KAKEHASHI'S ANGEL IS NASSE, A SPECIAL CLASS.
KAKE-HASHI MIRAI
NASSE
FOR NOW, LET'S SUMMARIZE THE SITUATION. I'LL BORROW YOUR TABLE
I SEE.. I HAVE A FEELING THIS WILL GO WELL

MEIZA?
FROM WHEN HE SAID THAT
BUT MY ANGEL IS SEXIER
AH, I THINK METROPOLI MAN'S ANGEL IS MEIZA


RED
WHITE
WINGS
METROPOLI MAN (THE PERSON INSIDE UNKNOWN)
MEIZA
+ RED ×3 WHITE ×3
WE DON'T KNOW HOW SHE DID IT BUT SHE WAS PROMOTED FROM NON-RANKED CLASS TO SPECIAL CLASS IMMEDIATELY. THE ANGEL OF LUST, MEIZA
AH, THE ONE BARE SAID..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METROPOLI MAN (IDENTITY UNKNOWN)
MEIZA
KAKEHASHI MIRAI
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SPECIAL CLASS: WINGS + RED ARROW + WHITE ARROW
+ RED ×3 WINGS × 3
TABUCHI SABURO
EGURA
HATAKEAMA SHOGO
EMAKA
MUKAIDDU NANATO
BARE
FIRST CLASS: WINGS + RED ARROW
PENEMA
BALTA
OGARO
NAKAYAMA TOMOYA
JAMI
RODRIGUEZ TONMA
RUTA
SECOND CLASS WINGS OR RED ARROW
LEAVING METROPOLI MAN ASIDE, THERE ARE STILL 5 PEOPLE WE HAVEN'T IDENTIFIED. WE HAVE A PICTURE OF ONE OF THEM.
YAZERI
HANAKAGO SAKI
RUBEL

PHEW
WELL, THAT'S IT FOR TODAY
コト…
AH, YEAH... I WANT YOUR AGREEMENT ON SOME-THING ELSE.
MAYBE IT'S EARLY BUT,
WE NEED COSTUMES IF WE ARE GOING TO DO THIS.
LIKE METROPOLI MAN

WHEN WE REUNITE 5 OR 6 ALLIES WE'D LIKE TO HAVE SOME COOL COSTUMES, RIGHT?
WHEN THE TIME COMES, I'LL TAKE CARE OF THAT.

I WAS A DESIGNER FOR AN APPAREL COMPANY, SO MY DESIGNS ARE HIGH QUALITY.

THINK OF ME AS DEAD
IF I'M NOT HERE BY THE TIME YOU FINISH SCHOOL
SEE YOU TOMOR-ROW
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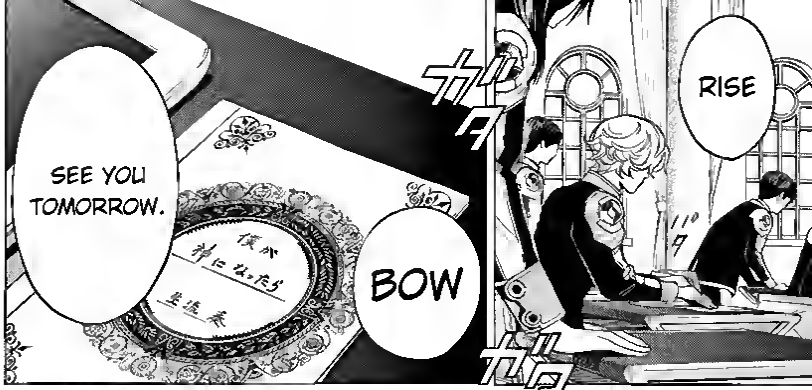
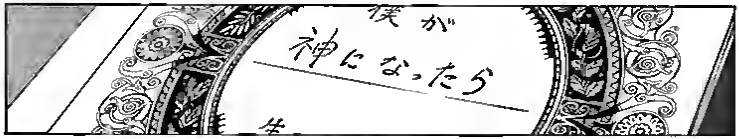
WELL, THINK ABOUT IT
……
……

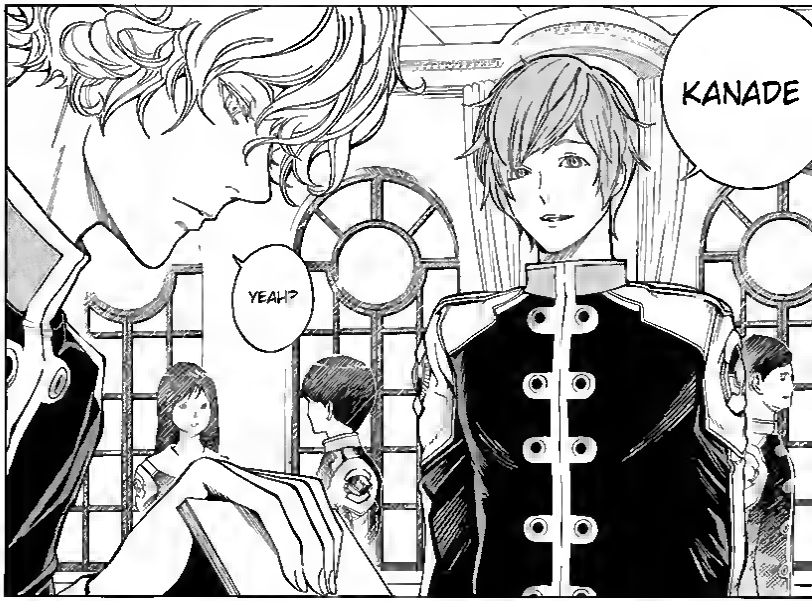
YEAH, BUT HE MAY BE DEPENDABLE
WHAT A WEIRD MAN...
HAHAHA, JUST JOKIN'!
AGAIN WITH THAT ...
SEE YOU!
THOSE WHO ARE PREPARED TO FACE DEATH ARE STRONGER THAN NOT AFTER ALL

SIGN: JOUSOU ACADEMY
(JOUSOU MEANS: UPPER STRATUM)

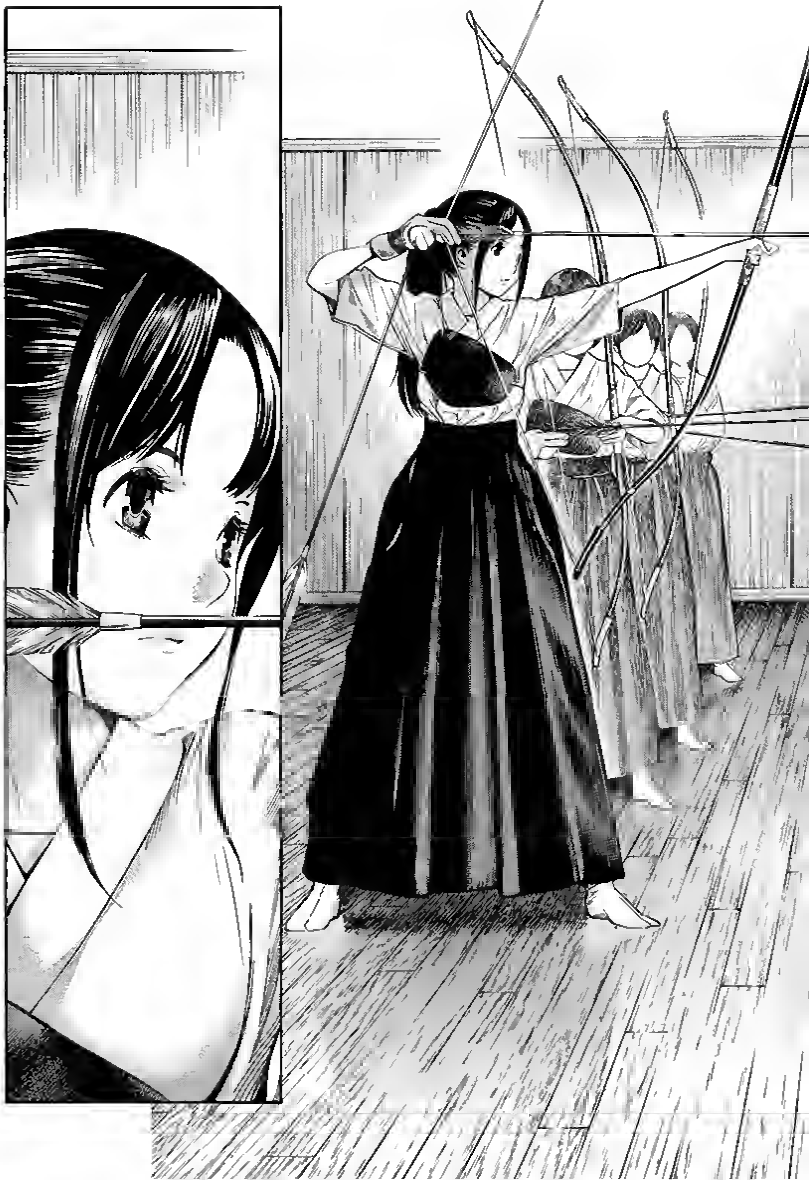


IN THE BOOK IF I WERE GOD – NAMARYU KANADE





C'MON, LET'S GO TO THE MIDDLE SCHOOL TODAY!
YAHOO! ♡
PLEASE, TAKE ME WITH YOU ON YOUR CLUB OBSERVATION TODAY
YOU REALLY LIKE IT... I DON'T DISLIKE IT, THOUGH...
BEING THE PRINCIPAL'S GRANDSON SURE IS COOL! YOU CAN GO WHEREVER YOU WANT



I WANT TO GO OUT WITH A GIRL LIKE HER SO BAAAAD.
THE GIRLS AT THAT AGE ARE SO PURE, THEY'RE THE MOST BEAUTIFUL
SO NICE, MAN, SAYURI IS 3 YEARS YOUNGER THAN ME...
ARE YOU SERIOUS ?!
IF YOU SAY "I WANT TO DO IT WITH HER, EVEN IF I DIE" I CAN MAKE HER MAD FOR YOUR BONES.
.....
BUT IN EXCHANGE, YOU'LL DIE AFTER THAT.
NAH... THAT'S JUST...
.....

MINAMIKAWA
WHAT?
IF I COULD GRANT YOU ANYTHING, WHAT WOULD IT BE?
!?
IF YOU COULD GRANT ME ANYTHING ...?
YES.
MONEY, OF COURSE. I WANT TO BE A MILLIONAIRE.
REJECTED

REJECTED?
YEAH.
YOU THINK TOO SMALL. THINK ABOUT THE WHOLE WORLD...
THEN, HOW ABOUT THE DISAPPEARING OF ALL THE NUCLEAR PLANTS AND NUCLEAR BOMBS IN THE WORLD?
NOW WE'RE TALKING.
OKAY, THEN, ERASE ALL THE UGLY WOMAN IN THE WORLD.
.....
VERY WELL, I ACCEPT.
OOOH

OH, I SEE.
I CAN'T DO THAT. I'D DIE.
AND ERASE ALL MEN MORE HANDSOME THAN ME.
IF I COULD GET ANY WISH GRANTED, I'D TRY FOR SOMETHING IMPOSSIBLE, LIKE...
NOT SOMETHING REALISTICALLY POSSIBLE SUCH AS KILLING SOMEONE.
AND WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO, KANADE?
ME? LET'S SEE...
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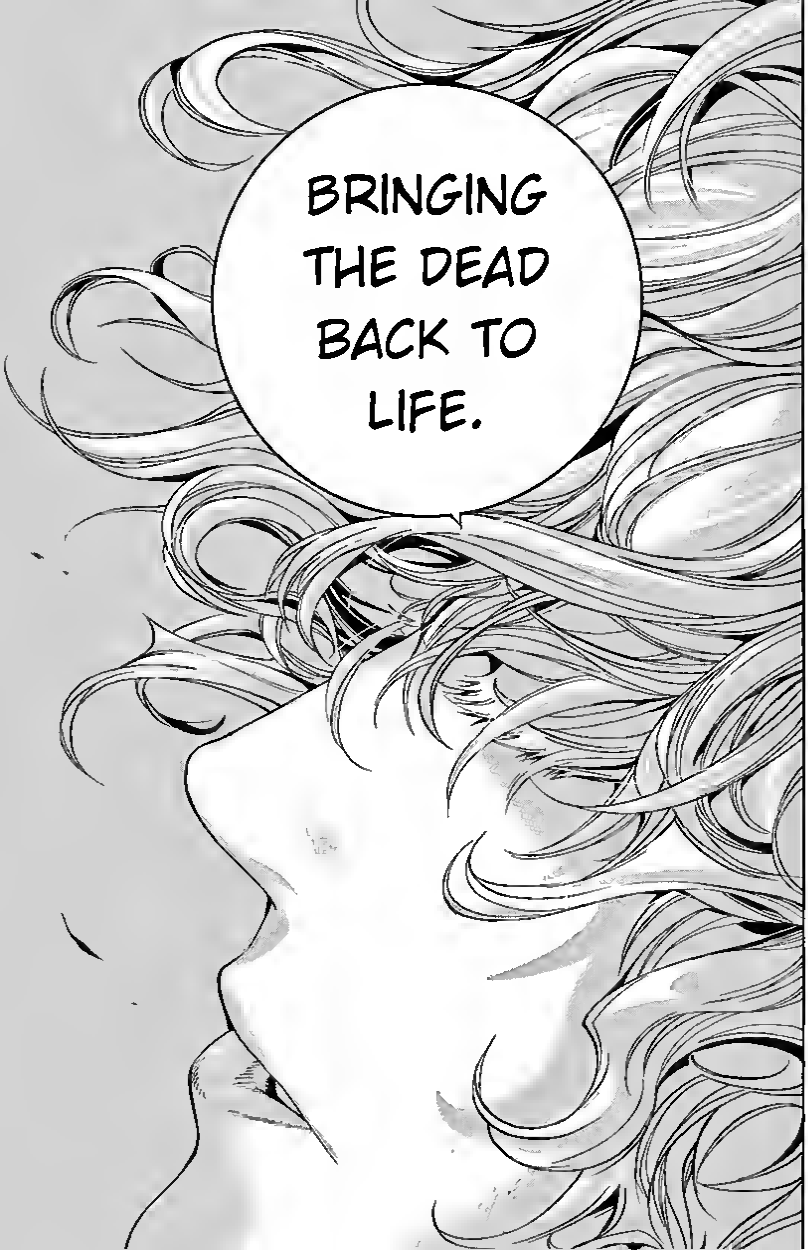
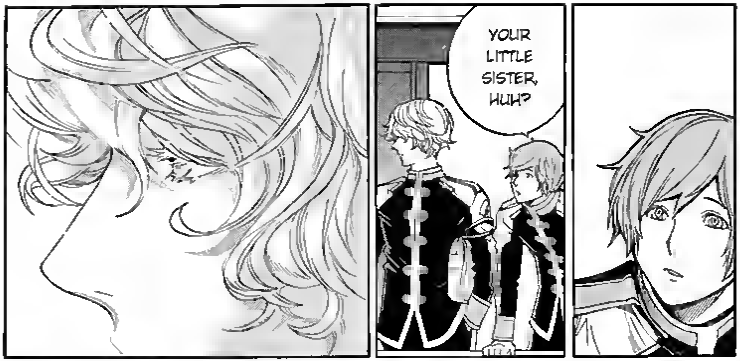
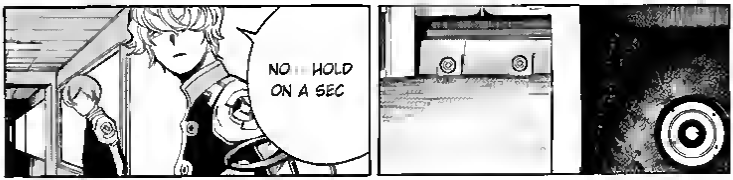
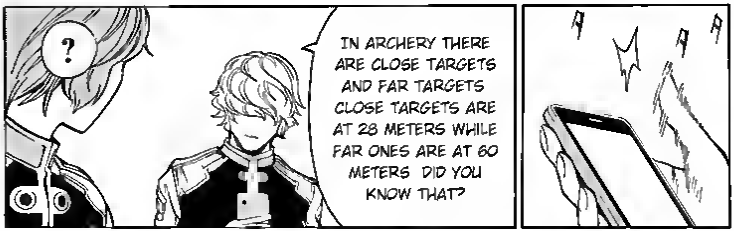

BRINGING THE DEAD BACK TO LIFE.


YOUR LITTLE SISTER, HUH?

EH? EVERYONE HAS LEFT.
LET'S GO


NO ... HOLD ON A SEC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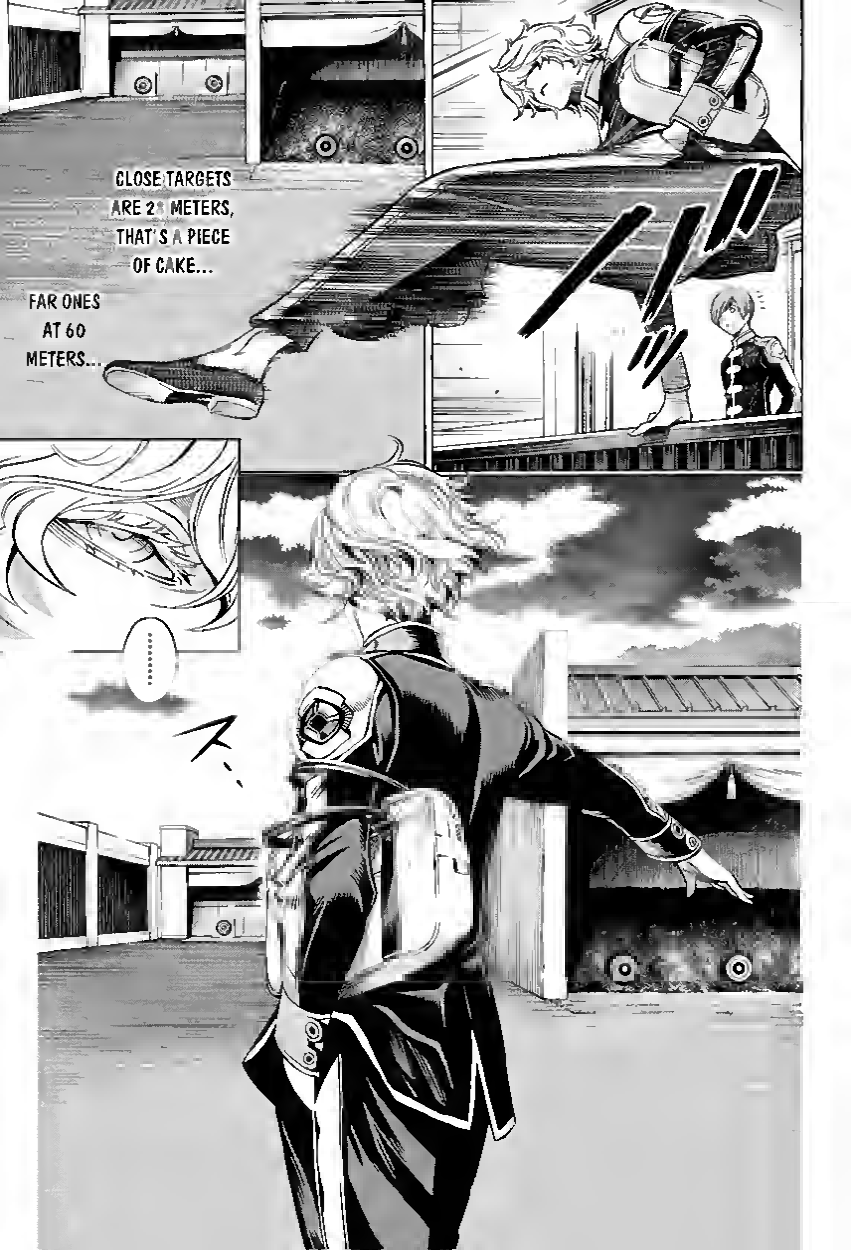
IN ARCHERY THERE ARE CLOSE TARGETS AND FAR TARGETS CLOSE TARGETS ARE AT 28 METERS WHILE FAR ONES ARE AT 60 METERS DID YOU KNOW THAT?


CLOSE TARGETS ARE 2[illegible] METERS, THAT'S A PIECE OF CAKE...
FAR ONES AT 60 METERS...
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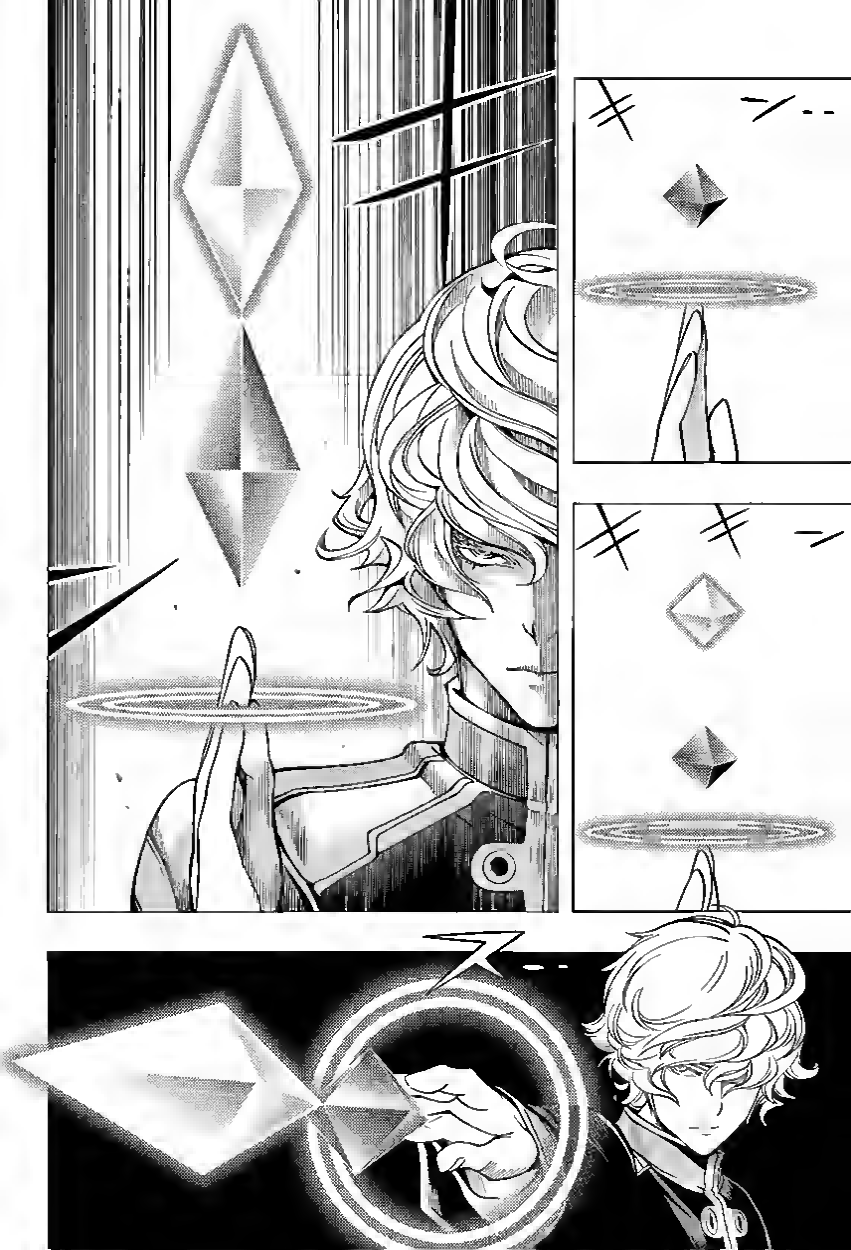

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
?

?
LET'S GO.
SHARIN
I SEE... IF I CONNECT 2 ARROWS, 60 METERS ARE NOT A PROBLEM.
WITH 3 IT WOULD BE MORE THAN 90...

JOUSOU COMPANY HEAVY
CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGY
RESEARCH CENTER
DANGER
KEEP OUT

TAP
WELCOME HOME.
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
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TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP
TAP

HAPPY BIRTH-DAY...

WE'LL SEARCH THE NEWSPAPERS, TV, NEWS ON THE INTERNET. WE NEED TO PAY ATTENTION TO ANYTHING.
FIRST, WE HAVE TO FIND THIS GIRL.
PEOPLE THAT SUDDENLY BECAME RICH AND POPULAR IN AN UNNATURAL WAY,
ATHLETES THAT GOT BETTER RESULTS IN SPORTS THAT MAKE USE OF SPEED,
ANYTHING LIKE THAT IS SUSPECT.
BREAKING NEWS
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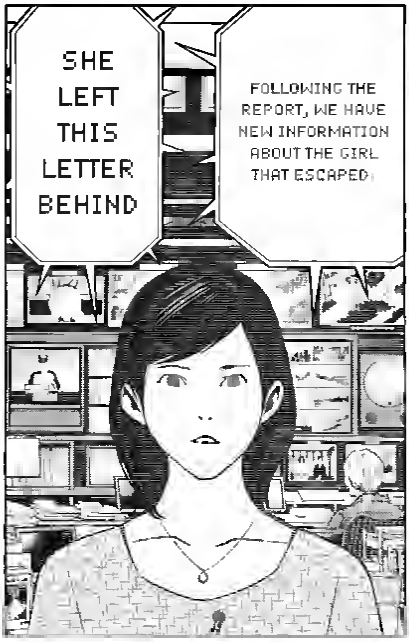
BREAKING NEWS!
AS EXPECTED OF AN ADULT..
WHEN MUKAIDO IS AROUND, WE CAN SEE EXACTLY WHAT TO DO...

NHT BREAKING NEWS
A GIRL, SUSPECT OF A MURDER IN A GIRLS HIGH SCHOOL, ESCAPED FROM THE FEMALE YOUTH DETENTION CENTER


SHE LEFT THIS LETTER BEHIND
FOLLOWING THE REPORT, WE HAVE NEW INFORMATION ABOUT THE GIRL THAT ESCAPED!

THE CRIMINAL THAT KILLED 3 SCHOOL GIRLS 2 YEARS AGO HAS ESCAPED...?!

I killed 3 cute girls 💀
If I get out of here
and become free,
I think I'll go kill girls
that aren't cute ♡

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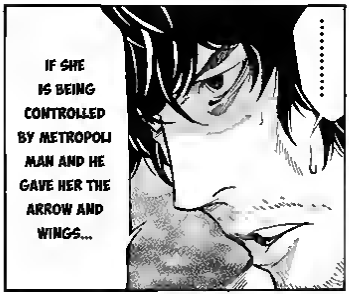

IF I'M NOT WRONG, SHE KILLED THE THREE GIRLS WITH A KNIFE, RIGHT?
YEAH, IF SHE HAS A KNIFE, SHE DOESN'T NEED THE WHITE ARROW.
AND IF SHE HAS WINGS, SHE CAN ATTACK PEOPLE EASILY BUT SHE WON'T BE SO EASY TO CATCH.
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AN ASSASSIN WITH THE POWER OF THE ANGELS IS METROPOLI MANS'S HERALD!!

PLATINUM END · #7 END

プラチナエンド
#8 TWO DIFFICULT OPTIONS
THERE MUST BE A PEACEFUL WORLD OUT THERE SOMEWHERE
STORY OOBA TSUGUMI
ART OBATA TAKESHI

ATOP A TALL TOWER...
GYAAAH
GYAAH
GAH

KARUIZAWA

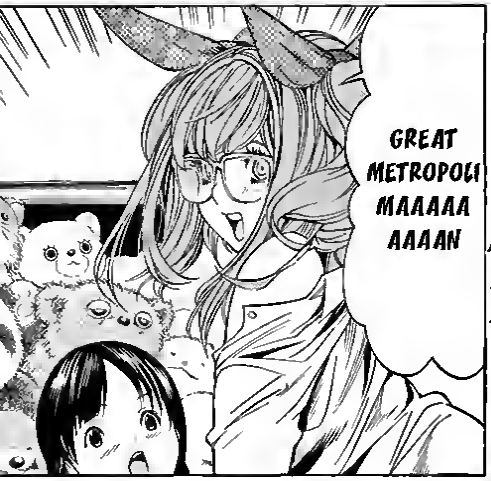
OH, NO
CAREFUL

THIS IS THE BEST!
AH
MMMM

HAAA... I'M SO HAPPY...
ME TOO.

AS EXPECTED OF THE SERIAL KILLER, "GIRL A." SHE ALREADY CHOSE HER NEXT TARGET, HUH?
THIS IS DANGER-OUS.
OH, NO

AH
AH


GREAT METROPOLI MAAAAA AAAAN

NOT TO MENTION YOU'RE BEING WAY TOO LOUD.
AT LEAST LOCK THE DOOR.

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HUH? WHO'S THAT, MISURIN?
YOU CAME. I'M SO HAPPY!
HUG
RIGHT?
I DON'T LIKE MEN BECAUSE THEY'RE DIRTY, SO THE GREAT POLI MAN IS THE ONLY ONE I LOVE.
.....
IN MY OPINION, SHE'S ON THE BORDERLINE...
WHAAA? I DID?
I CAME TO WATCH AND IT TURNS OUT SHE'S BEAUTIFUL. YOU SAID YOU'D GO AFTER UGLY GIRLS...

SHE'S ON THAT THIN LINE, ALL RIGHT.
?
.....
WELL, WHATEVER. JUST DO AS I TOLD YOU.
YEEES, GREAT POLI MAN.
HUH? YOU'RE LEAVING ALREADY?
IF YOU WANT, WE CAN PLAY THE THREE OF US
I DON'T WANT TO.

NOT EVEN THE POLICE DOES.
EH I DON'T KNOW HIS FACE.
EEEEH?
ISN'T THAT DANGEROUS?
AAAH, HE LEFT.
ALTHOUGH YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE FOR ME, MISURIN
THE GUY INSIDE MUST BE REALLY GORGEOUS, RIGHT?
SO LET'S PLAY EVEN MORE DANGEROUSLY THAN BEFORE.
KYAAA
YEAH, IT'S SUPER DANGEROUS. I LOVE DANGEROUS.

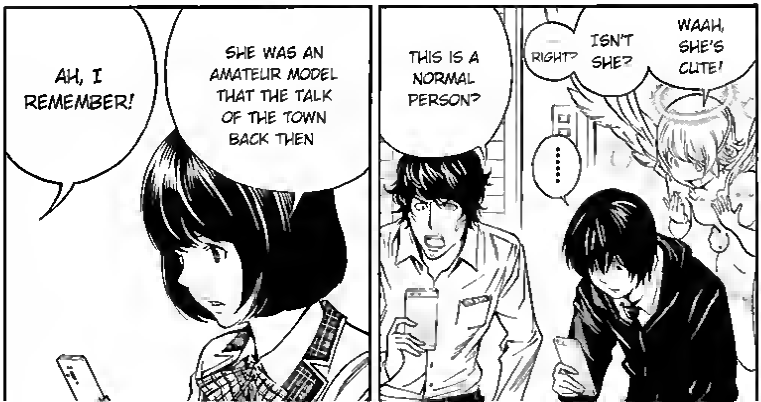
COVER YOUR EYES LIKE THIS.
EH
AND TIE YOUR HANDS BEHIND YOUR BACK.
HAH
HAHA, WOW, THIS IS SO FUN ♡
HAH
AND NOW
WITH THIS...

If I get out of here and become free,
I think I'll go kill girls that aren't cute
NHT BREAKING NEWS
GIRL A, SUSPECT OF A MURDER IN A GIRLS MIDDLE SCHOOL, ESCAPED FROM THE FEMALE YOUTH DETENTION CENTER
THINGS SURE ARE ROTTEN THIS DAY AND AGE.
THE NAME AND THE FACE OF THIS "GIRL A" WERE LEAKED ON THE INTERNET 2 YEARS AGO, NO?
THAT'S TRUE.
THAT SAID, WE'D BETTER LEARN WHAT SHE LOOKS LIKE.

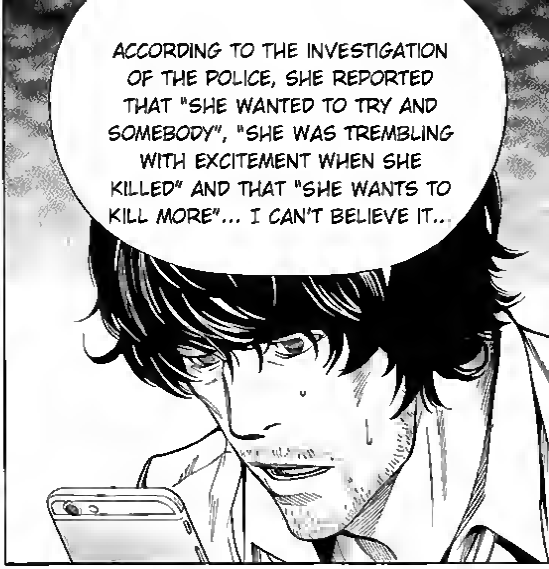
THIS IS THE SERIAL KILLER OF MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS!! MI³

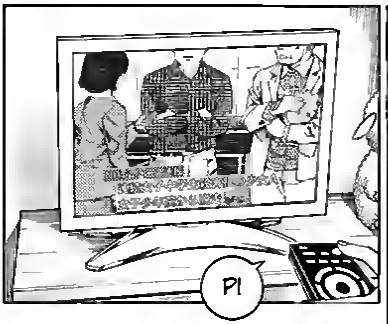
Real Name: Yamada Mimimi (14 y/o at that time)
Nickname: Mi³ (Misurin)

T/N: MISURIN, AS IN "MI-THREE-N."


AH, I REMEMBER!
SHE WAS AN AMATEUR MODEL THAT THE TALK OF THE TOWN BACK THEN
THIS IS A NORMAL PERSON?
RIGHT?
ISN'T SHE?
WAAH, SHE'S CUTE!
.....

THE NET HAS GONE CRAZY WITH THE NEWS OF HER ESCAPE...


ACCORDING TO THE INVESTIGATION OF THE POLICE, SHE REPORTED THAT "SHE WANTED TO TRY AND SOMEBODY", "SHE WAS TREMBLING WITH EXCITEMENT WHEN SHE KILLED" AND THAT "SHE WANTS TO KILL MORE"... I CAN'T BELIEVE IT...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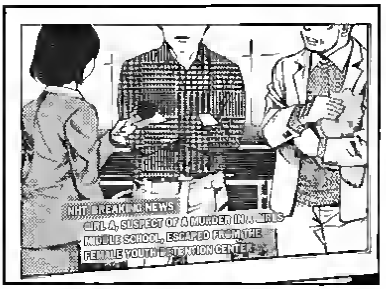
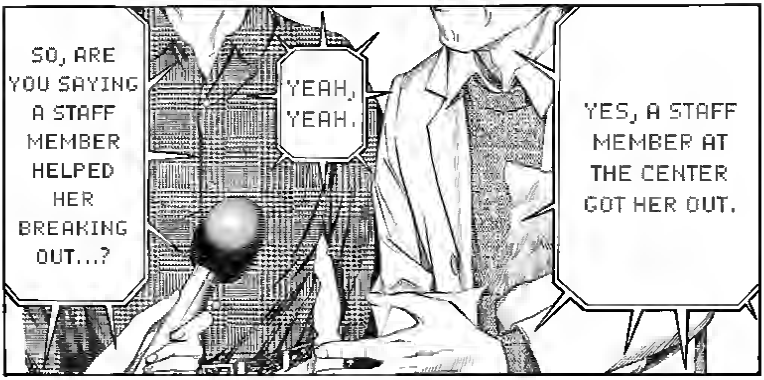
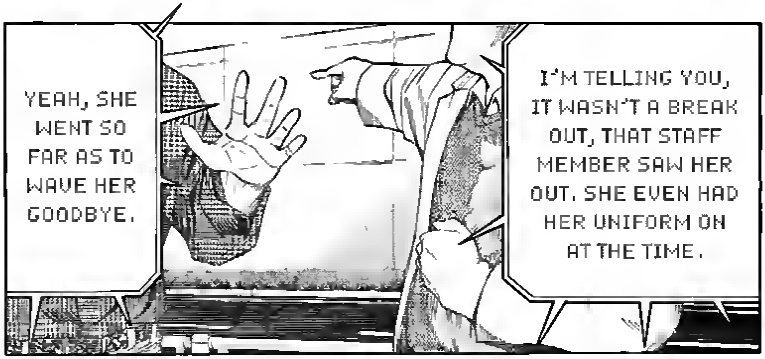
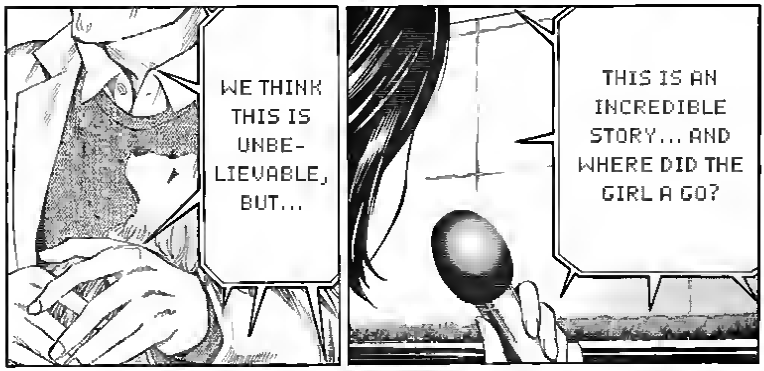

NHK DREAM NEWS
GIRL A, SUSPECT OF A MURDER IN A CITY'S MIDDLE SCHOOL, ESCAPED FROM THE FEMALE YOUTH DETENTION CENTER

RIGHT NOW THE EYE WITNESSES ARE TALKING ON SAKURA TV.
EH?!


SO, ARE YOU SAYING A STAFF MEMBER HELPED HER BREAKING OUT...?
YEAH, YEAH.
YES, A STAFF MEMBER AT THE CENTER GOT HER OUT.


YEAH, SHE WENT SO FAR AS TO WAVE HER GOODBYE.
I'M TELLING YOU, IT WASN'T A BREAK OUT, THAT STAFF MEMBER SAW HER OUT. SHE EVEN HAD HER UNIFORM ON AT THE TIME.


WE THINK THIS IS UNBE-LIEVABLE, BUT...
THIS IS AN INCREDIBLE STORY... AND WHERE DID THE GIRL A GO?

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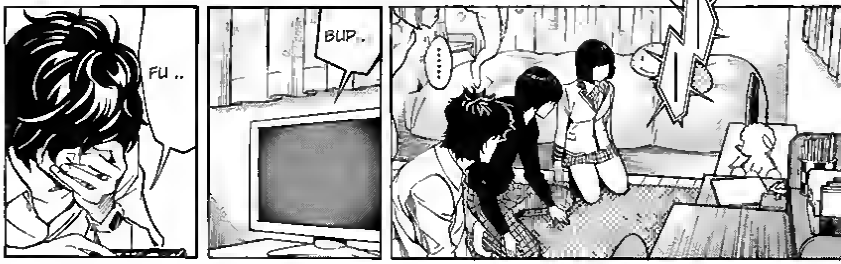
EH?!
SHE VANISHED.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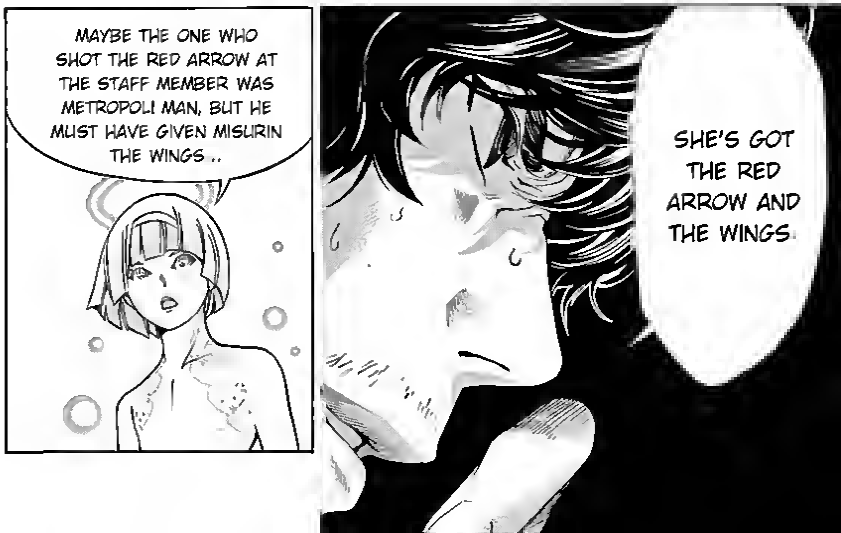
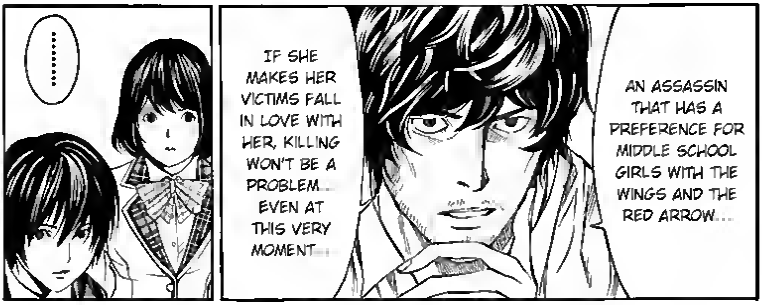

MAYBE THE ONE WHO SHOT THE RED ARROW AT THE STAFF MEMBER WAS METROPOLI MAN, BUT HE MUST HAVE GIVEN MISURIN THE WINGS ..
SHE'S GOT THE RED ARROW AND THE WINGS.

METROPOLI MAN ONLY THINKS OF REDUCING THE NUMBER OF CANDI-DATES
YOU'RE RIGHT.
PROBABLY TO USE THE GIRL A TO LURE ANOTHER CANDIDATE OUT.
FOR WHAT PURPOSE?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IF SHE MAKES HER VICTIMS FALL IN LOVE WITH HER, KILLING WON'T BE A PROBLEM... EVEN AT THIS VERY MOMENT...
AN ASSASSIN THAT HAS A PREFERENCE FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS WITH THE WINGS AND THE RED ARROW...

THIS IS EXCESSIVE, ESPECIALLY AFTER HE SHOWED US HOW HE KILLED THAT LITTLE GIRL IN THE STADIUM...
JUST THINKING ABOUT THAT MAKES ME WANT TO FIND HIM AND STOP HIM.

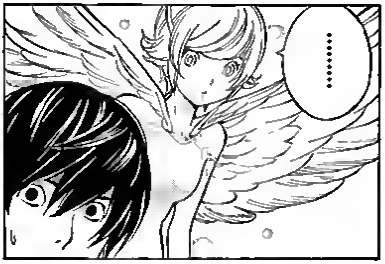
SO...
WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
WHAT... WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
I'M ASKING WHETHER WE LEAVE IT BE OR NOT.

THE EFFECTS OF THE RED ARROW AND THE WINGS WILL FADE FROM GIRL A IN 33 DAYS.
AFTER THAT, THE POLICE WILL CAPTURE HER, BUT UNTIL THAT, SHE WILL KILL AT LEAST 14 PEOPLE AS SHE PLEASES.
BUT THAT ALSO COMPRISES WHETHER WE BITE METROPOLI MAN'S BAIT OR NOT...
THAT'S RIGHT.
.....
EH? ME? I...
MUKAIDOU, WHAT DO YOU THINK WE SHOULD DO?

THAT'S IT.
I WANT TO FIND HER AND KILL HER FAST.
BUT IN THIS SITUATION...

YOU'RE RIGHT.
SHOOTING THE WHITE ARROW AND KILLING METROPOLI MAN, AS HE'LL COME TO KILL US WHEN WE APPROACH GIRL A...
IS OUR BEST OPTION.

AND KILLING HIM
SHOOTING HIM WITH THE WHITE ARROW...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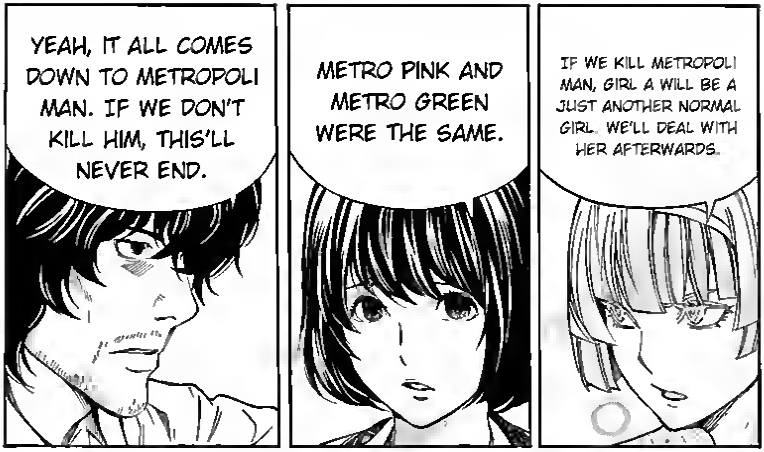
I'M THE ONLY ONE THAT HAS THE WHITE ARROW.


YEAH, IT ALL COMES DOWN TO METROPOLI MAN. IF WE DON'T KILL HIM, THIS'LL NEVER END.
METRO PINK AND METRO GREEN WERE THE SAME.
IF WE KILL METROPOLI MAN, GIRL A WILL BE A JUST ANOTHER NORMAL GIRL. WE'LL DEAL WITH HER AFTERWARDS.

I... I WANT TO SEE HIM ROTTING IN THE MORGUE NO MATTER WHAT BEFORE I DIE, BUT...
SO, WHAT THEN?
GIVING THE WINGS AND THE ARROW TO AN ASSASSIN... EVEN DIRTY TRICKS HAVE THEIR LIMITS...

.....
KAKE-
HASHI,
YOU DON'T
THINK SO?
.....

I DON'T WANT TO KILL PEOPLE.

WELL, UNDER USUAL CIR-CUMSTANCES, THAT'D BE NORMAL.
BUT I THINK THAT WE HAVE THE RIGHT TO KILL THEM BEFORE THEY KILL US, AS AN ACT OF SELF-DEFENSE.

WE CAN STOP METROPOLI MAN AND GIRL A
...EVEN IF WE DON'T USE THE WHITE ARROW
IF MIRAI GETS SHOT WITH THE RED ARROW BY METROPOLI MAN'S FRIENDS, EVERYTHING WILL FLIP AROUND.
THAT SAID,
SINCE WHAT HAPPENED IN THE STADIUM, WE DON'T KNOW WHAT HE'LL DO, SO I THINK WE NEED TO KILL HIM IF WE GET THE CHANCE.
METROPOLI MAN HAS ANOTHER 2 SETS OF WINGS AND RED ARROWS.

BUT I CAN'T MAKE UP MY MIND...
I UNDERSTAND WHAT YOU'RE SAYING
.....
EVEN GIVEN ALL THAT, IS IT RIGHT TO KILL SOMEONE?
I DON'T UNDER-STAND...
AND THE SAME GOES FOR... KILLING.
IT'S BETTER TO BE DECEIVED THAN TO DECEIVE. IT'S BETTER TO BE BULLIED THAN TO BULLY.
DON'T YOU THINK SO?
IF YOU DON'T KILL HIM, HE'LL KILL YOU.
.....

DON'T HATE PEOPLE NO MATTER WHAT...
UNTIL I ATTEMPTED SUICIDE, I'VE LIVED WITH THOSE FEELINGS...
.....
WHOA THERE, KID, ARE YOU SERIOUS?
.....
AND RATIONALLY, I KNOW THAT IT'S NOT SOMETHING I SHOULD BE SAYING IN THIS SITUATION...
I KNOW... THAT'S WHY I TRIED TO COMMIT SUICIDE.
THAT MIGHT SOUND RIGHT COMING OUT OF THE MOUTH OF A SAINT, BUT EVEN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLERS SAY THAT YOU CAN DO NOTHING IN THIS WORLD IF YOU THINK LIKE THAT!
BUT...

YOU ARE... NO...
ALL RIGHT, THEN TRY THINKING ABOUT IT LIKE THIS.
.....
AT LEAST, THAT'S WHAT I THINK.
BUT THAT'S THE GOOD PART OF YOU.
.....
AND YOU ARE IN A PLACE WHERE YOU CAN SHOOT HIM FIRST WITH THE ARROW AND METROPOLI MAN HASN'T NOTICED.
HANAKAGO IS ABOUT TO BE KILLED BY METROPOLI MAN

WOULD YOU USE THE RED ONE? OR THE WHITE ONE?
YOU CAN ONLY PIERCE HIM WITH ONE ARROW.

OR PIERCE HIM WITH THE WHITE ARROW...?
PIERCE HIM WITH THE RED ARROW...

OR WHITE ...?
RED...
IF THEIR ALLIES HAVE SHOT HIM WITH THE RED ARROW,
WHITE...
WHITE...?!
METROPOLI MAN CAN'T BE SHOT WITH IT...
SAKI AND I WILL BE KILLED!

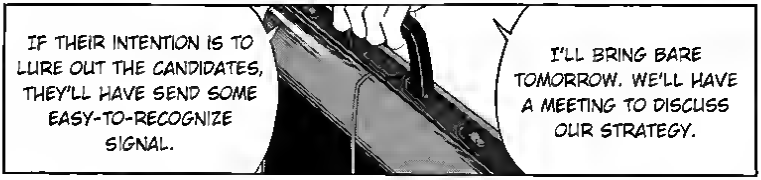
UWAAAAAAH

PLEASE,
STOP!!!
STOOOOP
!!

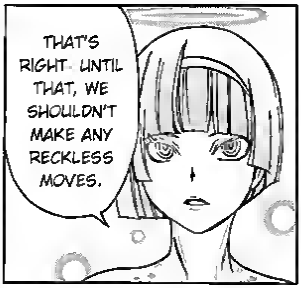
Hah
KAKE-
HASHI!
HEY,
WHAT
HAP-
PENED?!
Hah
Hah
HEY!
Hah
Hah
Hah
.....
WHITE...
Hah
Hah

WHITE ARROW...
KILLING WITH THE WHITE ARROW IS...
.....

WE'LL LEAVE IT AT HERE FOR TODAY.
PHEW...
BUT STILL, ONE DAY...


IF THEIR INTENTION IS TO LURE OUT THE CANDIDATES, THEY'LL HAVE SEND SOME EASY-TO-RECOGNIZE SIGNAL.
I'LL BRING BARE TOMORROW. WE'LL HAVE A MEETING TO DISCUSS OUR STRATEGY.

KAKE-HASHI,


THAT'S RIGHT. UNTIL THAT, WE SHOULDN'T MAKE ANY RECKLESS MOVES.

.....
IF I WERE THE ONE WHO WAS ABOUT TO BE KILLED, THE RED ARROW WOULD HAVE SUFFICED.
IN THE EXAMPLE I GAVE YOU

MUKAIDOU..
FURTHER-MORE...
I FIND IT HARD TO BELIEVE METROPOLI MAN WOULD LET HIMSELF BE PIERCED EVEN BY HIS ALLIES.

I'M SORRY ...

BUT I WANT YOU TO LIVE, EVEN IF IT'S ONLY ONE MORE DAY...
.....
OH, MY
YOU'RE GOING TO MAKE ME CRY.
WELL, SEE YOU TOMOR-ROW.

EVEN AMONG THE CANDIDATES, THERE MAY BE ONE OR TWO NAIVE ENOUGH TO, NO?
IT DOESN'T MATTER IF NO ONE COMES. IN THAT CASE, I'LL JUST GRANT MINA-MIKAWA'S WISH AND ALL UGLY GIRLS WILL DISAPPEAR.
WILL THEY REALLY FALL FOR THIS?
?!
?!

NEXT DAY
六階堂
MUKAIDO

……
PAPA, DRINK YOUR MEDICINE!
HERE'S YOUR WATER!
THANKS, NANAKA.

THAT'S THE PROOF THAT I'M FINE.
NANATO, YOU GO OUT A LOT LATELY. IS YOUR BODY OK?
THE NEWS ALWAYS COMES BY SMART-PHONE FIRST.
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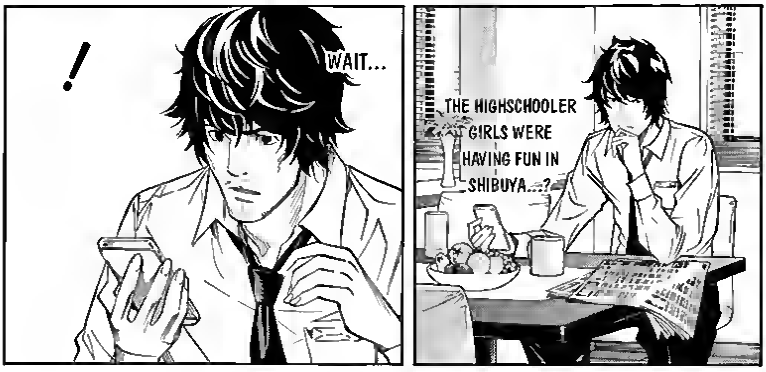
!
WE HAVE BREAKING NEWS.
PI
TV: BREAKING NEWS A CORPSE HAS BEEN DISCOVERED ON THE TALLEST POINT OF GRAND TOWER
LAST NIGHT, THE GIRL FOR WHOM A SEARCH REQUEST WAS FILED, YAISHI HIKARI (14 Y/O)...
ON THE TALLEST POINT OF GRAND TOWER, GEISHA TOWER, A CORPSE HAS BEEN DISCOVERED.

A DEAD BODY IN A PLACE VERY VISIBLE... OR MAYBE IN A NOT-SO-VISIBLE PLACE...
EITHER WAY, THE CULPRIT WANTS TO SHOW THAT THEY'VE GOT WINGS.
SHE WAS LAST SEEN WITH 4 FRIENDS IN SHIBUYA YESTERDAY AT 13:00.
AND AT 13:30 THEY LOST CONTACT WITH HER.
GIRL A ESCAPED YESTERDAY AROUND MIDDAY. SHE ATTACKED FAST...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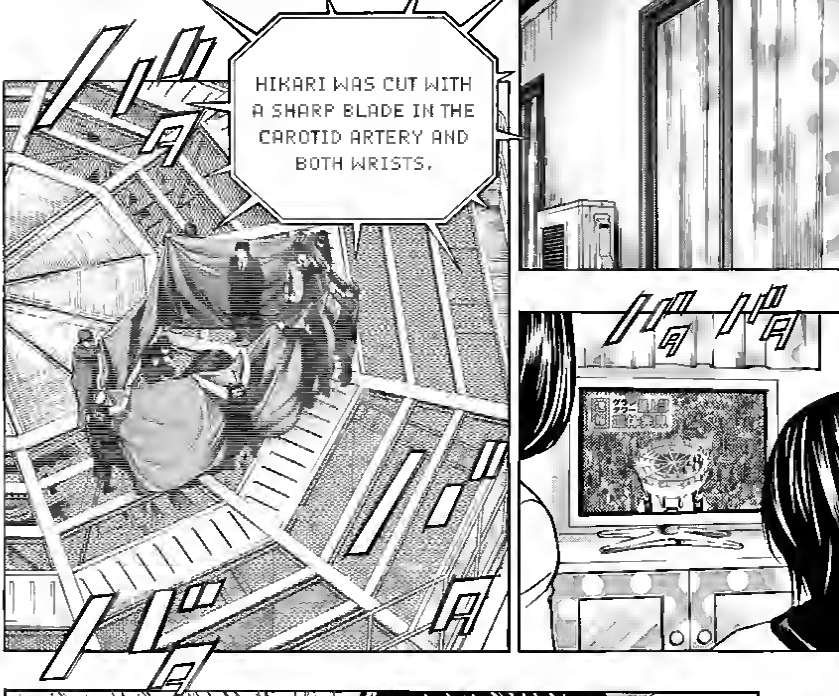
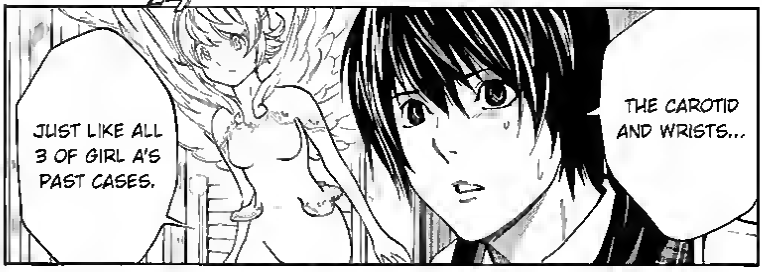
WAIT...
THE HIGHSCHOOLER GIRLS WERE HAVING FUN IN SHIBUYA...?

NO
...IT CAN'T BE.
I HAVE SOME ERRANDS TO DO.
NANATO?
HE REALLY DOES SEEM FINE...
LET'S GO, BARE.
YES.
I'LL BRING THIS FOR NOW.





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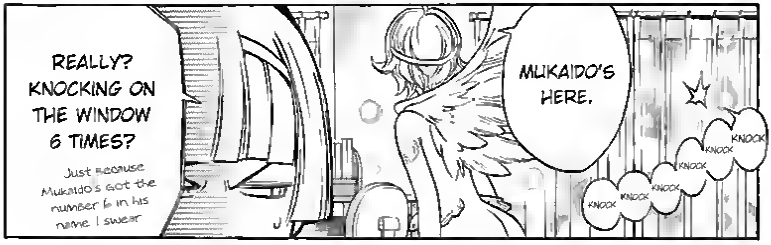
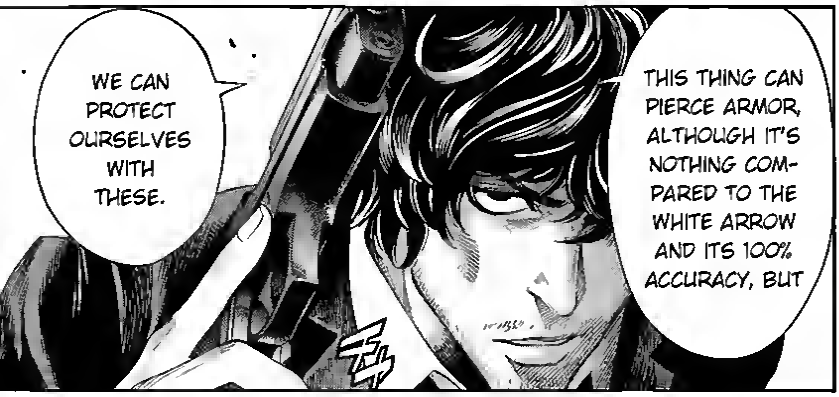
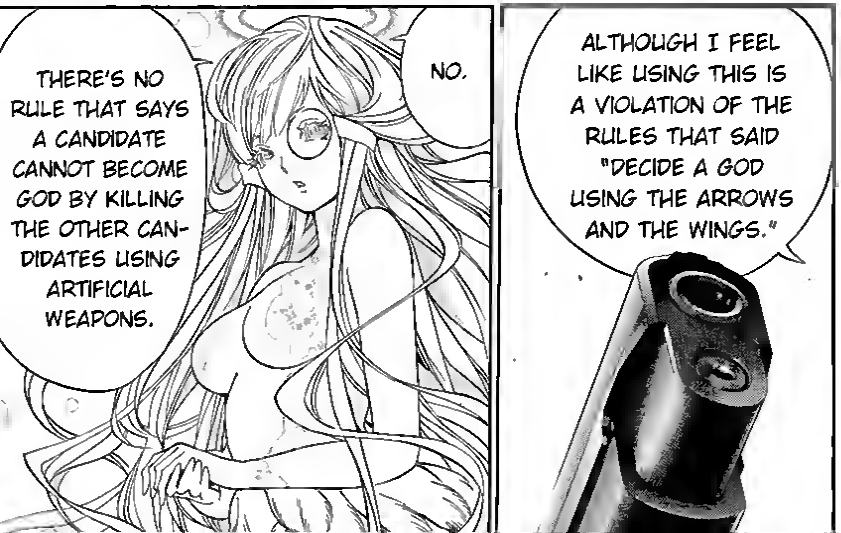


THIS IS MY ANGEL, BARE.
PLEASED TO MEET YOU.
I'M NASSE. NICE TO MEET YA, BARE.
I'M REBEL
IT'S GOOD TO MEET YOU.
Teh

I JUST BORROWED THIS FROM THE JAPANESE SELF DEFENSE FORCES.
AH, THIS?
WHAT'S WITH THAT BIG LUGGAGE?
PLUS VARIOUS LITTLE THINGS LIKE THESE...

EH


WE CAN PROTECT OURSELVES WITH THESE.
THIS THING CAN PIERCE ARMOR, ALTHOUGH IT'S NOTHING COMPARED TO THE WHITE ARROW AND ITS 100% ACCURACY, BUT


THERE'S NO RULE THAT SAYS A CANDIDATE CANNOT BECOME GOD BY KILLING THE OTHER CANDIDATES USING ARTIFICIAL WEAPONS.
NO.
ALTHOUGH I FEEL LIKE USING THIS IS A VIOLATION OF THE RULES THAT SAID "DECIDE A GOD USING THE ARROWS AND THE WINGS."

TO BE HONEST, I NEVER GAVE A SHIT ABOUT THE RULES.
THEN ALL THE MORE REASON TO USE THEM.
YES.
FOR REAL?
I'LL GIVE THESE TO YOU, TOO.
.....
I... I AM...

THAT'S A CRIME. THEY'LL CATCH US RIGHT AWAY.
EVEN AN ELEMENTARY SCHOOLER KNOWS SOMETHING SO OBVIOUS.
NO JOKES.
I'M SERIOUS.
ARE YOU KIDDING ME?

SO IF YOU THINK "WHITE ARROW = KILL" THIS IS QUITE LEGAL. IF I HAD THIS IN THE STADIUM, I MAY HAVE KILLED HIM.
THE WHITE ARROW DOESN'T LEAVE TRACES, WHICH MEANS THERE'S NO PROOF OF IT WAS EVER USED. THAT'S A PRESENT FROM THE ANGELS FOR YOU.

JUST BECAUSE IT'S DIFFICULT TO USE A GUN TO COMMIT THE PERFECT CRIME, IT DOESN'T CHANGE THE FACT THAT YOU KILLED SOMEBODY.
ESPECIALLY FOR ME, SINCE I DON'T HAVE MUCH LONGER.
THAT'S NOT IT...
ARE YOU HAPPY... ARE YOU HAPPY MAKING YOUR DAUGHTER THE DAUGHTER OF A CRIMINAL... A MURDERER?

WILL BECOME A HERO ONCE EVERYTHING HAS BEEN MADE CLEAR.
YOU WON'T BE GETTING ME TO CRY WITH A LINE LIKE THAT.
.....
LISTEN... NO MATTER WHO STOPS METROPOLI MAN OR HOW
THE ONE WHO KILLS HIM...
LET ME TELL YOU, IT'S NOT LIKE I WANT TO BE A HERO.

I'LL ASSUME MY RESPONSI-BILITIES AS LONG AS I CAN.
I CHOSE TO BE A CANDIDATE.
THAT DIDN'T TRY TO DO ANYTHING FOR HIS CHILDREN'S SAKE.
I DON'T WANT TO BE THE PAPA THAT COULDN'T DO ANYTHING...

YOU BETTER HURRY.
I SAID THAT GIRL A COULD PIERCE 14 PEOPLE WITH THE RED ARROW IN 33 DAYS...
I WAS WRONG.
!?
BUT IT' TRUE THAT YOU CAN ONLY USE THE RED ARROW ON 14 PEOPLE.
THAT MAY BE, BUT...
BARE, EXPLAIN IT TO THEM.
YES.

IF THE HUMAN THAT WAS SHOT WITH THE RED ARROW DIES, THE ARROW RETURNS TO ITS OWNER.
SO EVEN IF SHE USES 14 ARROWS, WHEN THOSE 14 HUMANS DIE, THE ARROWS WILL GO BACK TO HER AND SHE'LL BE ABLE TO PIERCE ANOTHER 14 HUMANS.
LONG STORY SHORT, IF SHE KILLS THE ONES SHE PIERCE WITH THE ARROW, THE NUMBER OF ARROWS SHE CAN USE WOULD BE UNLIMITED.
THAT'S BARE FOR YOU! SHE EXPLAINED IT ALL IN A VERY SIMPLE WAY.
RIGHT? RIGHT?
WELL, YEAH...
I had no idea
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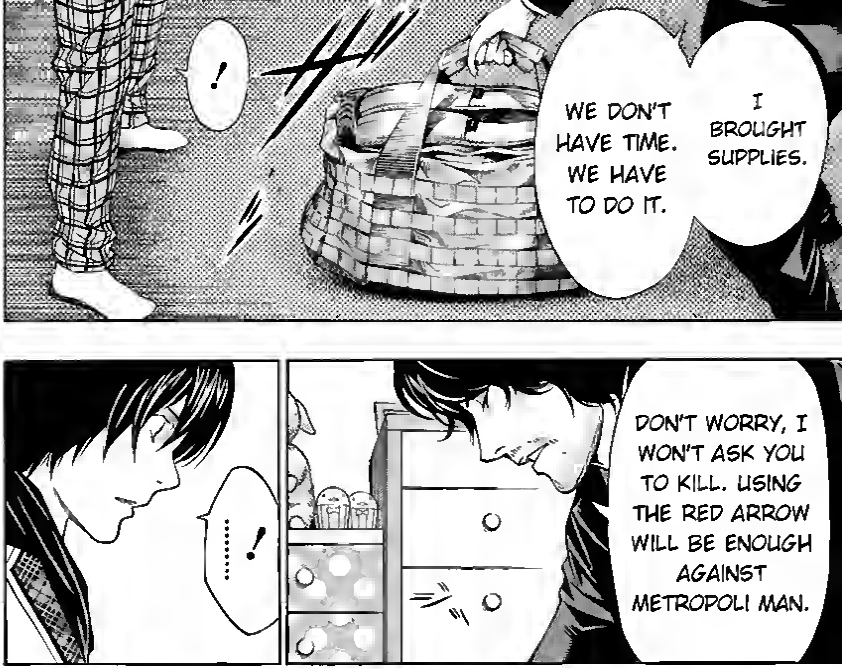
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WE DON'T HAVE TIME. WE HAVE TO DO IT.
I BROUGHT SUPPLIES.

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DON'T WORRY, I WON'T ASK YOU TO KILL. USING THE RED ARROW WILL BE ENOUGH AGAINST METROPOLI MAN.

OF COURSE I'M COMING!
SO? ARE YOU COMING?

I JUST WANT TO END ONCE AND FOR ALL.
THE NUMBER OF VICTIMS IS INCREASING EVERY SECOND.

DRIP
DRIP
DRIP

Hah
Hah

I CAN'T STOP, I'LL LAUGH TO TEARS.

PLATINUM END..... TO BE CONTINUED IN AUGUST ISSUE

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FLYING OFF.
CORPSE IN TOW.

GREAT POLIMAN ~~~
THIS THING SMELLS ~~~
I WANNA CHUCK HER AWAY ALREADY~~~~
WHAT'S THE CONDITION OF THE CNUCKING POINT?
IT'S OK THERE'S NOBODY HERE

NOBODY?
OF COURSE WHO'D COME TO THIS PLACE?
I CAN'T HOLD HER ANYMORE ~~~~

SFX CLICK CLICK CLICK
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ALL RIGHT, NOW TAKE A PICTURE SO THE PLACE IS RECOGNIZABLE AND LEAK IT TO THE INTERNET.
WOAH, THIS IS TERRIFIC.
OK, DONE.

IF THEY DON'T COME WITH THIS, THERE'S NO OTHER WAY
I THINK THEY'LL COME
.....
BEEP
HMM
I'LL EVEN FIRE SOME HUGE FIREWORKS IF THEY DON'T COME

RIGHT? THE THREE GIRLS THAT WERE KILLED BY GIRL A TWO YEARS AGO WERE ALL WEARING A SAILOR SUIT.
AND THE PLACES WHERE THEY DISAPPEARED WERE HARAJUKU, SHIBUYA, AND THEN HARAJUKU AGAIN.

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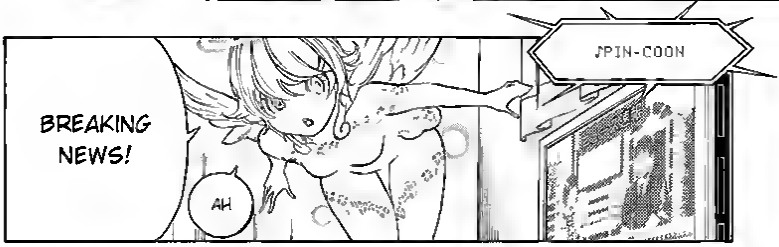
WHICH MEANS THAT GIRL A WILL APPEAR IN HARAJUKU NEXT!
THE VICTIM AT THE TOP OF GRAND TOWER FOUND YESTERDAY WORE A SAILOR UNIFORM, TOO, AND DISAPPEARED IN SHIBUYA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BREAKING NEWS!
AH

BREAKING NEWS!
BREAKING NEWS. A NEW CORPSE OF ANOTHER YOUNG GIRL ON TOP OF GRAND TOWER
!

FOLLOWING THE DISCOVERY OF YAISHI HIKARI (14) YESTERDAY, SOMEONE HAS POSTED PICTURES OF ANOTHER DEAD BODY ON TOP OF GRAND TOWER ON A SOCIAL NETWORK...
POSTED PICTURE 1
BREAKING NEWS, A NEW CORPSE OF ANOTHER YOUNG GIRL ON TOP OF GRAND TOWER
WE JUST GOT THE NEWS
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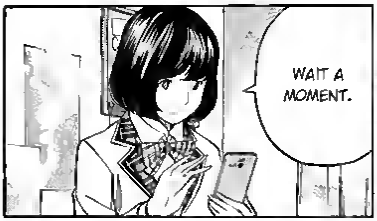
WHAT?
A POST ON A SOCIAL NETWORK?
DAMN!

I THOUGHT WE HAD TO LOOK FOR HER IN SHIBUYA OR HARAJUKU TO STOP GIRL A...
AND THAT WAS WHAT THEY WANTED.
BUT IT WAS GRAND TOWER FROM THE BEGINNING
THEY WEREN'T PLAYING AT SOME BATTLE OF WITS
THEY TOOK THE EASY PATH, THAT MEANS

!
WHOEVER CAN REACH THE TOP OF GRAND TOWER IS A CANDIDATE!

I SEE...
IN THE STADIUM YOU CAN MIX WITH THE AUDIENCE ..
BUT YOU CAN'T HIDE THERE
DOES HE WANT A FAIR BATTLE ON TOP OF THE TREE?
!

YOU'RE RIGHT... AT THIS RATE, SHE'LL KILL ONE PERSON PER DAY, THAT'D BE 33 OR MORE IN THE 33 DAYS.
BUT WE CAN'T JUST WAIT FOR THE NEXT CORPSE TO COME... WE NEED TO GO TO SHIBUYA OR HARAJUKU...


WAIT A MOMENT.

33 PEOPLE ...

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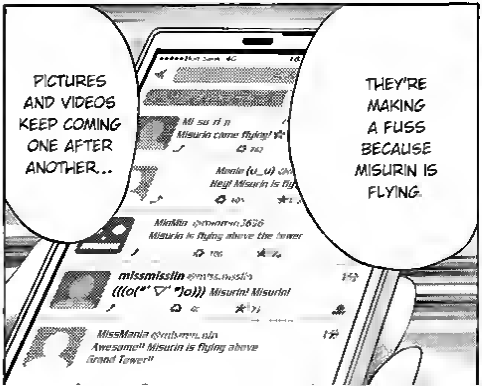
IT SEEMS GIRL A IS STILL FLYING ABOVE GRAND TOWER


PICTURES AND VIDEOS KEEP COMING ONE AFTER ANOTHER...
THEY'RE MAKING A FUSS BECAUSE MISURIN IS FLYING.
Misurin came flying!
Misurin is flying above the tower
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(((o(*゜▽゜*)o))) Misurin! Misurin!
MissMania
Awesome!! Misurin is flying above Grand Tower!!

CHATTER
CHATTER
LOOK, OVER THERE
EH... REALLY?!
PLEASE LADIES AND GENTLEMEN!
THIS TOWER IS RESTRICTED AT THE MOMENT, PLEASE...
MI-SU-RIN IS...
.....
WHA... WHAT IS THIS?

WHAT ARE YOU ...?
UUM HNN
NUAA AAAH

MISURINKO!!
With the Great Poliman♥
WAAAAN I WAS MAKING A TRIP
SIX PEOPLE, HUHP
ONE, TWO, THRE
!
SORRY, GREAT POLIMAN.
HEY NOW.
!?
HERE I GO.
BAH, WHATEVER
IT'S A WASTE, BUT...

SMILE
MISURIN
FLASH!!

MI-
SU-
RIN
ATTACK!!

MISURIN GALAXY!!
MISURIN STAR-LIGHT!!
MISURIN EXCELLENT!!

?
ROLLING THUNDER?
MISURIN.....
EHM.....

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THAT WAS ALL OF YOU, RIGHT? NOW TAKE THE BODY DOWN.
AND DON'T LET ANYONE COME UP.

MISURIN, GIVE ME YOUR AUTOGRAPH LATER...
I'M JUST HAPPY I GOT TO MEET MISURIN.
UNDERSTOOD
DON'T TAKE IT DOWN...
GUYS... WHAT ARE YOU SAYING?!
WHERE'S YOUR PRIDE AS POLICEMEN!!?!
DON'T FUCK WITH ME...
YOU'RE THE ONE ACTING WEIRD, HAYASHI.
EH? BUT IT WAS A FAVOR MISURIN ASKED, NO?

UWAAH
STOP SAYING NONSENSE, LET'S TAKE HER DOWN ALREADY.
SO WHAT?
EVEN IF SHE'S OUR BELOVED MISURIN...
SHE'S STILL A SERIAL KILLER...
PUTTING YOUR LIFE ON THE LINE IN YOUR JOB?!
OLD FART, YOU'RE AWESOME! EVEN THOUGH YOU WERE PIERCED BY THE RED ARROW YOU STILL OPPOSE ME...
DAMMIIIIT!!
YES, MISURIN ♥
BUT YOU'RE IN MY WAY, SO THEY'LL BE TAKING YOU ♥
DA...

GREAT POLIMAN, EVERYONE IS GONE
THEN, DO AS I TOLD YOU.
YEEEEEES
KAKEHASHI, LET'S GO.

GIRL A ISN'T MOVING OF HER OWN FREE WILL
METROPOLI MAN IS CONTROLLING HER
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THAT'S WHY HE SENT GIRL A TO THE TOWER AND, WHEN A CANDIDATE SHOWS UP TO PUT HER DOWN, HE'LL SHOOT THE WHITE ARROW
HE'D BEEN HOPING THAT A CANDIDATE WOULD APPEAR WHEN THEY LEFT THE CORPSE YESTERDAY, BUT NOBODY CAME

THEN, WHEN METROPOLI MAN APPEARS TO KILL ME, YOU SHOOT HIM WITH THE RED ARROW.
FIRST I ATTACK GIRL A, ACTING AS A DECOY.
THAT MEANS ...
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WE HAVE THE PERFECT CHANCE TO SHOOT THE RED ARROW AT METROPOLI MAN!
!
!
BECAUSE I CAN'T USE THE RED ARROW NOW.

YOU CAN USE THE WHITE ARROW TOO
YES.
!
YES.
RIGHT, BARE?
WELL, THE RED ARROW IS FINE
BUT IN THAT CASE, ONLY THE LATTER WILL TAKE EFFECT AND THEIR POSITIONS WILL BE REVERSED.
IF A PERSON SHOT WITH THE RED ARROW HAS IT TOO, YOU CAN ORDER HIM OR HER TO SHOOT YOU AS WELL.

SO HE CANNOT POSSIBLY BE THINKING OF DOING THAT.
You know everything!
EEEE EEEH
BUT I'M THANKFUL THAT THIS IS IN A NICE, OPEN PLACE LIKE THE TOP OF THE TOWER AND THAT WON'T BE NECESSARY.
IF IT WAS IN A CROWDED PLACE LIKE SHIBUYA OR HARAJUKU, I HAD THOUGHT OF LETTING YOU SHOOT ME WITH THE RED ARROW SO I CANNOT BE CONTROLLED BY ANYONE ELSE.
IF WE CAN SHOOT HIM, WE CAN TAKE CARE OF GIRL A AND EVERYTHING AFTER THAT.
IT'S A DIRECT ATTACK!

YOU HAD THE INTENTION OF WEARING THAT SAILOR SUIT..?
EHM.. IF IT HAD BEEN IN SHIBUYA OF HARAJUKU.
.....
.....
WHO ELSE WAS THERE?
He was serious
HANAKAGO DOESN'T HAVE WINGS, SO SHE CAN'T BE A DECOY
METROPOLI MAN ONLY NEEDS CANDIDATES
HANAKAGO IS THE ONE THAT FITS THE MOST, BUT WE DON'T NEED SUCH REALISM

PUT THIS ON, KAKEHASHI.
I BORROWED IT FROM THE SDF.
ZIP

MUKAIDO, HOW MANE KILOS ..?
THAT...
THAT SEEMS HEAVY... ARE YOU OK?
FUUU
AAAH, FOR A PERSON WITH A SERIOUS ILLNESS LIKE ME IT'S A BIT HARD, BUT...
BUT EVEN IF IT'S HEAVY, IT WON'T INTERFERE WITH MY FLYING SPEED
RIGHT, BARE?
YES
THERE'S NO PROBLEM WITH THAT, BUT FOR PERSONS, YOU CAN ONLY CARRY ONE AT A MOMENT

SO? HOW WELL DOES IT FIT, KAKEHASHI?
OH
IT SUITS YOU PERFECTLY.

.....
IT WAS ORIGINALLY DESIGNED FOR MOTOR SPORTS AT MY COMPANY.
ガシッ!
IT'S A NEW TECH ALLOY MADE OF LEATHER AND ARAMID FIBER...
IT'S RESISTANT TO FRICTION AND IMPACTS AS WELL AS EDGED TOOLS. AND IT'S VERY FLEXIBLE AND BREATHABLE.
AND YOU CAN HIDE YOUR FACE WITH THAT DUST-PROOF MASK AND THE HOOD.

HE SURE DOES
MIRAI, YOU LOOK LIKE A HERO!
BUT TO THINK IT'LL BE OF USE NOW!
THE COSTS WERE EXCESSIVELY HIGH SO WE COULDN'T COMMERCIALIZE IT
.....
KAKE-HASHI, I'LL TELL YOU NOW...
IT'S VERY UNLIKELY THAT THEY'LL ATTACK HERE, BUT IF SOMETHING HAPPENS, CONTACT US
REBEL AND HANAKAGO WILL TAKE CARE OF THE HOUSE.
BARE AND NASSE WILL COME.
SURE
ミシャッ

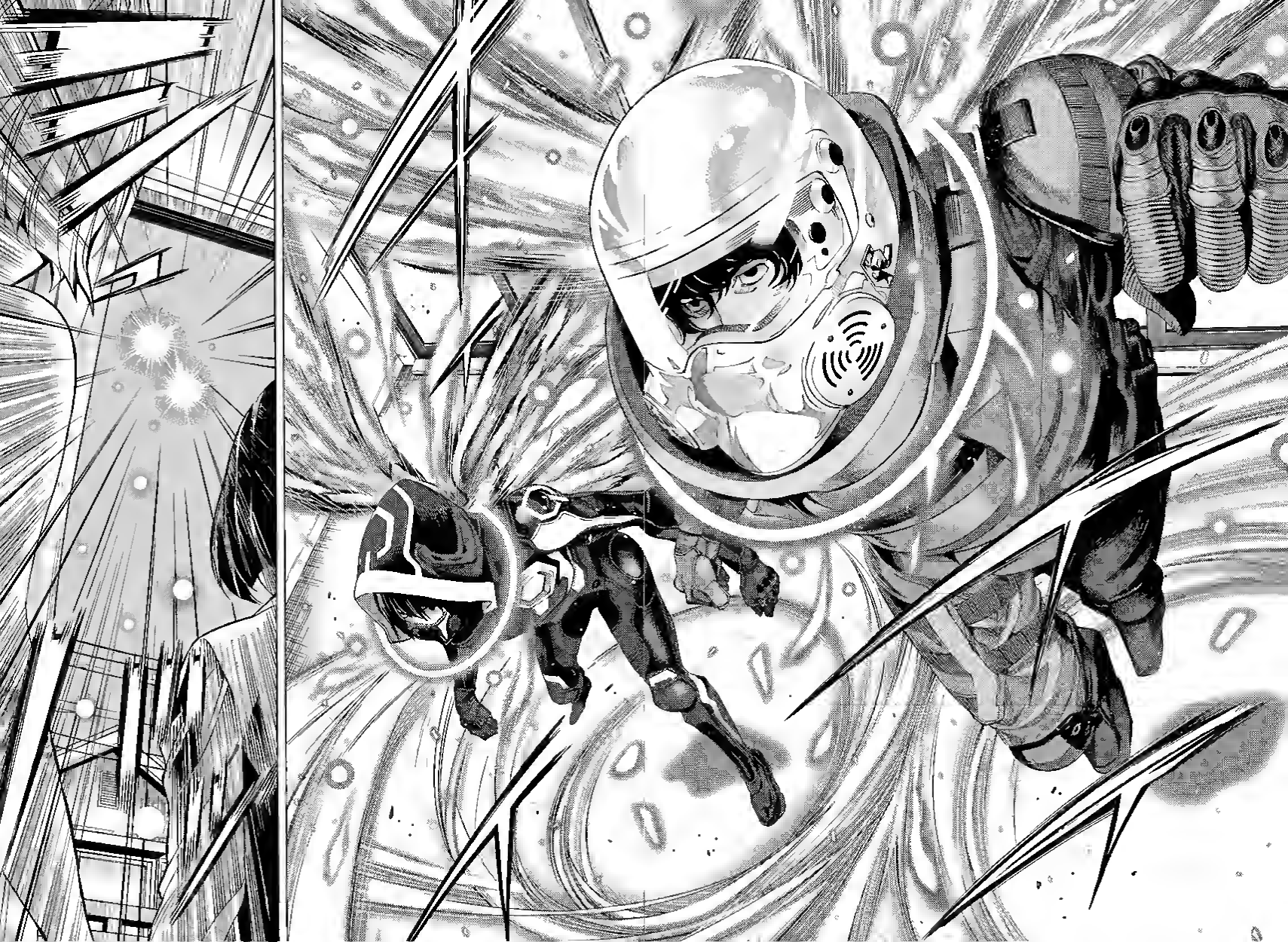
HAD THAT HAPPENED, I WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN ABLE TO DISOBEY YOU.
I'D HAVE BECOME UNABLE TO KILL ANYONE.
I HAVE A WIFE AND CHILDREN. IF I'D GONE TO SHIBUYA OR HARAJUKU, I WOULD'VE ASKED YOU AND NOT HANAKAGO, TO SHOOT ME WITH THE RED ARROW ...
THERE'S ANOTHER MEANING WHY I'M GRATEFUL THAT THE BATTLE IS GOING TO TAKE PLACE AT THE TOP OF THE TOWER.

IT'S JUST A POSSIBLE SCENARIO.
WHAT ...
WHAT DO YOU MEAN ...?
IF METROPOLI MAN DOESN'T APPEAR...

DO YOU REALLY THINK YOU CAN JUST CAPTURE HER?
.....
I SEE.
I'LL KILL GIRL A.
I'M GONNA KILL HER.
SHE'S A MONSTER KILLER THAT HAS WINGS AND CAN'T BE CONTROLLED WITH THE RED ARROW.

IF SHE CAN'T SEE THE TARGET, SHE CAN'T HIT HIM OR HER. EVEN I KNOW THAT.
IF SHE CAN'T SEE, SHE CAN'T PIERCE ANYONE WITH THE ARROW. RIGHT, BARE?
AT THE VERY LEAST, I'LL CARVE HER EYES OUT.
THE SERIAL KILLER IS THE ONE WHO SHOULD BE STABBED WITH A KNIFE, RIGHT?
IF SHE ESCAPES, ANOTHER INNOCENT GIRL WILL DIE
YES.
.....
YOU AREN'T GOING TO COMPLAIN ABOUT THAT TOO, ARE YOU?

PLEASE, LET ME FINISH METROPOLI MAN OFF WHILE I'VE STILL GOT SOME BREATH IN ME.
GYUH
KAKE-HASHI.
SUU
SAKI.



KILL GIRL A...
IF METROPOLI MAN DOESN'T APPEAR, MUKAIDO WILL...
IT ISN'T RIGHT ...
KILLING PEOPLE ISN'T RIGHT...

WITH THE RED ARROW!
I WILL SHOOT YOU
PLEASE, COME,
METROPOLI MAN

TAC
TAC
TAC
TAC
HEY, WHAT ARE YOU DOING THERE?

I'M SHOPPING ONLINE.
HE CAME.

BADUMP
BADUMP
BADUMP
BADUMP

I WAS LOOKING FOR A CUTE RIBBON.
NOT THAT.
I'M ASKING YOU WHY YOU'RE HERE.
I'M WAITING FOR THE GREAT POLIMAN.

……
WILL HE COME?
…HEY
WHY DIDN'T YOU SHOOT WHEN I HADN'T NOTICED?
NOW THAT I KNOW, I CAN ESCAPE WITH MY WINGS.
ヒュウ
クス…
AND WHY HAVEN'T YOU SHOT THE RED ARROW?

I'M REALLY ITCHING TO DO SOME DANGEROUS THINGS.
SINCE THE GREAT POLIMAN SAID I HAVE NO CHOICE BUT...
I WAS TOLD TO STAY TOGETHER WITH WHOMEVER CAME FLYING WITH WINGS.
THIS IS BAD NEWS.
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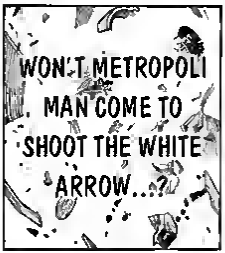
HMM
COME OVER HERE.
OKAY?
SO DON'T STAY AT THE EDGE,


WON'T METROPOLI MAN COME TO SHOOT THE WHITE ARROW...?

WHAT...
THE...?

WHA...

HUH...?

MU-
KAIDO
!!!
NO...
IT
CAN'T
BE...

ARE YOU SERIOUS?!
UWA AAH!
TERROR-ISTS?!
PAINT
PAINT

ブス
MU-
KAI-
DO
PANT
PANT
MU-
KAIDO!
MU-
KAIDO
NO...
DON'T
DIE...
MU-
KAI-
DO!
PLEASE
DON'T
DIE!

MU-
KAI-
DO...
I DON'T WANT ANYMORE PEOPLE TO DIE!!
COUGH
COUGH
MU-
KAI-
DO!
GUH...
UUH ...
COUGH

MU-KAIDO
YOU'RE ALIVE!
HE'S SAFE!
YEAH, WE CAN TELL RIGHT AWAY.
KA... KAKE-HASHI, HUH...?
PANT
PANT
I'M GLAD I BROUGHT THE ANTI EXPLOSION SUITS, JUST IN CASE...
THESE ARE THE ONES USED BY ANTI-BOMBS SQUADS
I HAD A VAGUE THOUGHT THIS MIGHT HAPPEN BUT NOT IN SUCH A FLASHY WAY...
NOW HE WILL KILL PEOPLE EVEN WITHOUT THE WHITE ARROW...
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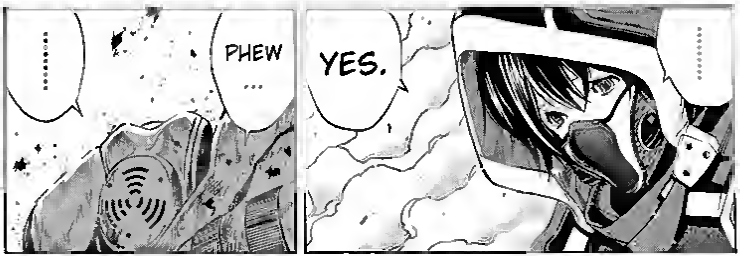
DID I FLY AWAY A SECOND TOO LATE...?
ANYWAY, IF YOU HADN'T BEEN HERE, I'D BE DEAD...
THANK GOD...

DIDN'T YOU SAY THAT?
YOU DON'T WANT TO SEE ANYMORE PEOPLE DYING...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PHEW ...
YES.
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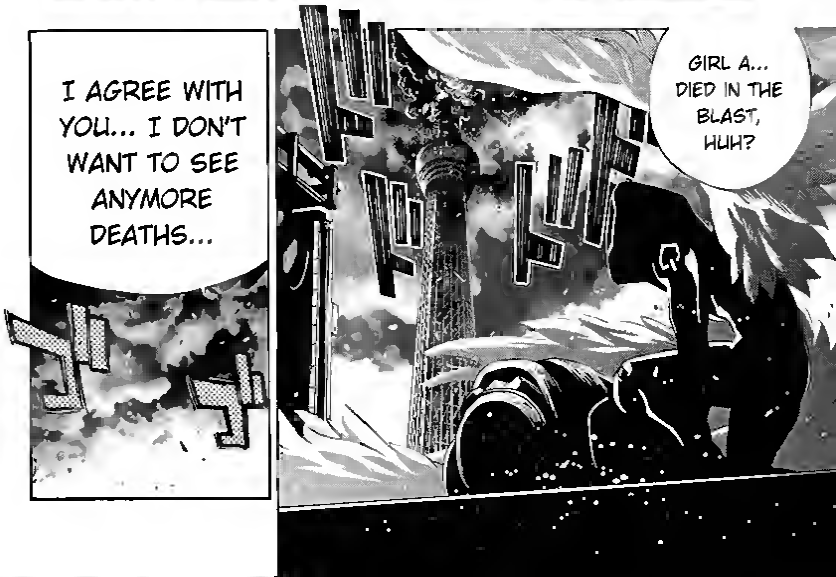
I AGREE WITH YOU... I DON'T WANT TO SEE ANYMORE DEATHS...
GIRL A... DIED IN THE BLAST, HUH?

THE REAL THING STARTS NOW...
BUT ...
WE DON'T HAVE TIME FOR SENTI-MENT...
HE'S COME.

I'LL TAKE IT.
IT'S TIME FOR THEM TO FACE OFF!!!
WHAT'S WITH THAT COSTUME?
IT'S SO COOL.
PLATINUM END.....
TO BE CONTINUED IN THE SEPTEMBER ISSUE